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# THREE SPECIALS THAT MONTGOMERY WARD RECOMMENDS

# Snowball Cauliflower

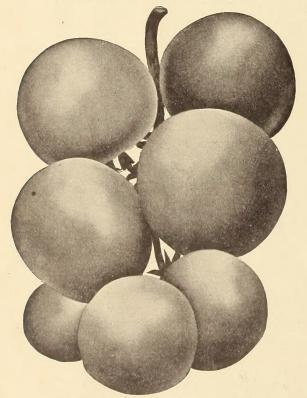


Danish Seed. See also page 8.

Cauliflower Seed is the most difficult and most expensive crop to grow. Only in one of the Islands of Denmark can seed be grown which will produce a large percentage of good heads in this country. We have grown for us every year sufficient seed for our own trade, by one of the most careful, painstaking and reliable growers in that country. The variety is the Early Snowball. It heads well, the large solid heads are free from leaves in the flower and bleach snowwhite.

snowwhite. **H 221—CAULIFLOWER, EARLY SNOWBALL.** Per pkt. **3c**, ¼ oz. **45c**, ½ oz. **80c**, oz. **\$1.50**, ¼ lb. **\$4.50**, lb. **\$16.00**.

# President Tomato



The Earliest Tomato. See also page 19,

H 750—THE PRESIDENT TOMATO is the earliest purple or pink Tomato. While fully as early as the Sparks Earliana it is more handsome in color and quality of fruit. The Tomatoes are deep purplish pink in color, coreless and with very small seed cavities. The fruit is borne in clusters and is ripe before any other Tomato, with the exception perhaps of the Earliana. Pkt. 3c, oz. 50c, ½ lb. \$1.25, lb. \$4.00.

# Fisher's Gold Specie

A New Yellow Dent Field Corn

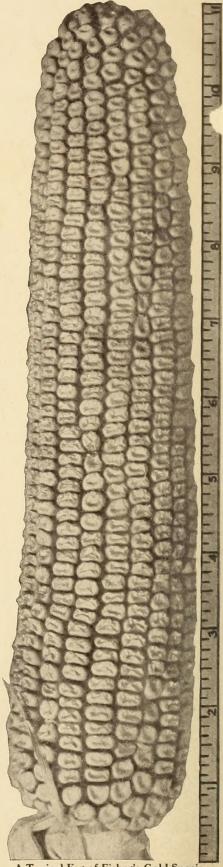
Uniform Ears.

No Waste Space Between the Rows.

This new Yellow Dent Corn is a splendid type of light golden colored corn. The ears average nine to eleven inches in length and eight inches in circumference. The grain grows well over the tip and butt. The red cob is small and set on a small shank. The kernels are slightly rough, narrow, deep and closely set, shelling a large per cent more than any other corn. The stalk grows eight to twelve feet high and heavy below the ear. This is the corn for the great central corn belt states, where it has been bred up to be the best Yellow Dent Corn grown. It is medium early, and may be planted as far north as the southern counties of Wisconsin. Matures in 110 days from planting. Our stock of this seed is limited. If it is sold out on receipt of your order your money will be refunded.

H 3029 — FISHER'S GOLD SPECIE CORN Qt. 20c, pk. 95c, bu. \$2.75

SEE INDEX ON INSIDE OF LAST COVER



A Typical Ear of Fisher's Gold Specie.

# To Our Seed Trade:

When this firm decided three years ago to enter the seed business, we did so with the full realization that we were going to either win friends or make enemies, as seeds are something that must be absolutely dependable. The policy of this firm has always been to protect the interests of its customers, so at the very beginning of our entry into the seed world-before a dollar's worth of stock was purchased-I decided that we would either handle the highest grade of seeds or we would keep out of the seed business entirely.

Mr. H. W. Fisher, in charge of our Seed Division, understands my policy and is devoting his personal efforts toward stocking only absolutely reliable seeds. We not only deal with reliable producers, but as far as possible investigate the conditions under which our seeds are grown. Seeds must be right or trouble follows. Mr. Fisher has instructions to supply seeds that will make us a reputation and bring us permanent customers.

It is to be regretted that a binding guarantee cannot be given on seeds; we would be only too glad to guarantee every seed sold by us, but conditions are such that no firm can issue a seed guarantee.

We offer our seeds with the fullest confidence that they are as dependable as it is possible to obtain them.

Yours very truly,

A. Montgomery Ward

The very first essential to you who grow things in the ground is to secure seed that will germinate and be true to name and type. That is the kind we offer you. Don't get the idea that it is necessary to pay others twice our prices in order to get good seed. Don't be scared because we sell our seeds at lower prices than others do. The man who depends upon his seed business as his sole means of profit may be interested in making you think that high prices are essential to good seed. Those of you who have known Montgomery Ward & Co. for 36 years, know that it is their customary policy to sell the best things and to sell them for a little less than others do. That is your benefit.

Our seed business is but an incident with us, and not our exclusive line, by any means. Hence we can afford to make the very lowest prices on specific seeds, so as to make it worth your while to buy of us all your other goods of every kind—groceries, dry goods, hardware, stoves, drugs, implements, vehicles, clothing and everything else that you use, eat and wear.

It is impractical to guarantee seeds under all circumstances, and no concern can or does do so. The following, adopted by the American Seed Trade Association, is the only form of guarantee that accompanies the seed you buy, whether purchased of us or elsewhere.

We give no warranty, express or implied, as to description, quality, productiveness or any other matter of any seeds, bulbs or plants we send out, and we will not be in any way responsible for the crop.

Our 3-cent packets contain the same reliable seed as the pound packages and bushels.

Our collections are all made up of the same reliable seed, and in no case are they "job lots." They are made up with great care, to assist the amateur gardener, and are put up by our own seedsmen on the premises, ready to help us execute orders promptly.

#### FARM SEEDS IN TWO GRADES.

Heretofore we have handled but one grade of farm seeds, such as Timothy, Clover, etc., and that was the very best grade.

This made our prices on farm seeds look high, when compared with lower grades quoted by others. We think it lost us some sales. So this year we are going to give you your choice of the best grade in farm seeds, known as the "Lakeside" brand, which is a fancy grade, and a second grade, of good recleaned seed. Our Lakeside is the best obtainable anywhere, and is what we recommend. It is remarkably clean and free from foreign seeds.

The Way to Save Mohey on a large purchase is to write us for samples of kinds of farm seed you intend using, and we will send you a small envelope of the identical seed, with lowest current prices for return mail acceptance. This is the way the large buyers do, and we advise it.

#### GARDEN SEED.

The smallest quantity sold, unless otherwise quoted is a small packet, price 3c. The next smallest quantity, unless otherwise stated, is one ounce. Two ounces are sent for half the ¼-lb. price. One-half pounds are filled at half the one-pound price. Quantities from ½-lb. up are charged at pound price, which, unless especially stated, is the lowest price we make.

#### BEANS, SWEET CORN AND PEAS.

One pint is the smallest quantity filled, except the small 3c packet, cannot fill orders for half pints. Quart prices apply on quantities of 2 quarts; 4 quarts are equal to half a peck, which is filled for one-half the price. Quantities from ½ bushel up are filled at bushel prices, which the lowest offered. No charge for bags used in shipping.

The same rules as for garden seed are used by us in pricing flower seed, except where other sized packages are especially quoted.

#### BULBS.

Our Spring and Fall Planting Flower Bulbs are all first size and first quality only, and are our own importation or growth. At our low prices you can afford to buy all you desire.

Three bulbs are filled for one-fourth of the dozen price; 25 bulbs for one-fourth of the 100 price; 250 bulbs for one-fourth of the 1000 price. Please do not forget to allow postage on bulbs when ordered to be sent by mail.

#### GRASS AND CLOVER SEED.

One to five pounds we sell at the one pound price; 5 to 50 lbs. at the 10 lb, price; 50 lbs. and up at the 100 lbs. price. Where no 100 lb. price is given, please write for price. All prices of Grass and Clover seed are subject to change; the prices in this catalogue for such seeds are not guaranteed, but will follow the markets, either higher or lower.

#### SEED GRAINS.

Prices subject to change. Seed grain prices do not fluctuate so rapidly as Grass or Clover Seed, therefore we anticipate that the prices under this heading will in all probability last through the shipping season. In order to protect ourselves or our customers, as the case may be, we reserve the right to charge according to market price. Where quoted by the bushel, a bushel is the smallest order we will fill; where quoted by 100 lbs, 50 lbs. is the smallest order we will fill. Bags free; no charge for cartage.

#### NURSERY STOCK.

Our fruit and other trees are largest size, straight, strong rooted, Government inspected and free from scale, and are lower priced than such high quality nursery stock was ever sold for before. We quote certain one year old grafted plants and trees at postpaid prices by mail. All our Nursery Stock is shipped direct to customer from our Nursery, in Northern Illinois. No order for less than \$1.00 worth accepted. Quantities of 5 to 25 filled at 10 price; 25 to 250 filled at 100 price; 250 or more at 1000 price; all to be shipped at buyer's expense, except numbers 7051 to 7063, and numbers 10002 to 10353, which are all mailing sizes and are shipped prepaid.

#### HOW TO ORDER GOODS OF MONTGOMERY WARD & CO.

Our prices are net and our terms cash.

To secure the seeds or other goods you want, just write us a letter in your own language and tell us the name, catalogue number and quantity you have selected, and enclose the price. We will then send you the goods promptly. If they are goods that are to go by freight or express, you are to pay the freight or express after the goods arrive. If by mail, you are to send us sufficient stamps with your order to cover postage.

HOW TO SEND MONEY—It is perfectly safe to send money in the following manner, viz: Bank Draft, Postal Money Order, or Express Money Order, and in cash, by Express, charges prepaid, because in case of miscarriage the loss will be made good.

#### SPECIAL SEED RATE

BY MAIL—In ordering please remember to allow sufficient postage. The mail rate on seeds, plants or bulbs is 8 cents per pound, which is one cent for every two ounces. When seeds by the quart, pint or small packet are ordered allow postage as follows: Pint 8 cents, quart 15 cents, and 1 cent for every 10 packets or fraction thereof.

BY EXPRESS—Special Prepaid, in packages not exceeding 4 lbs., practically the same as by mail except that no shipment is made for less than 10 cents for each express company handling the shipment and on packages ranging from 22 oz. to 4 lbs. a reduction is made on the total amount that would be required for postage of two cents. To secure this rate charges must be prepaid and packages must be limited to 4 pounds in weight.

BY EXPRESS—Special Pound Rates are charged by all express companies on packages of seeds weighing over 4 pounds, except in instances where the regular graduated rate is lower than the minimum charge of 35 cents.

FOR EXAMPLE: The regular merchandise rate by express to Fargo. N. D., is \$4.00 per 100 lbs. The graduated table of express rates on page 4 of our No. 76 Catalogue will show the charge for 10 lbs, of merchandise would be \$1.00. Seeds weighing 10 lbs. can be sent by pound rates for 40 cents. By referring to the table of freight and express rates on pages 10 and 11 you will find the merchandise rate to Joliet, Ill., is 50 cents for 100 lbs. and 10 lbs. of regular merchandise under the graduated rate would go for 30 cents—consequently as the regular charge would be less than the minimum charge of 35 cents under the pound rate the merchandise rate would apply.

Don't wait till seeding or planting time before you order your seeds, as or nursery stock. Order early, and state in your order when you wish bulbs or nurse; them shipped.

# Montgomery Ward & Co.

Branch House, KANSAS CITY.

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# **Bargain Vegetable Seed Collection**

H 7001-Assortment consists of one liberally filled packet of each of the followingwellknown sorts. Weight, one pound; if by mail, add 8 cents postage.



Assortment of Standard Size Packets of the Best

BEANS, EARLY MOHAWK.
Early green pcd snap bean, bush
or dwarf growth.
BEANS, DAVIS WHITE WAN.
Dwarf or bunch bean, early, long
golden yellow pods and white kidney shaped bean.
PEAS, WARD'S VERY FIRST.
Small smooth pea, the earliest yet
produced.

Small smooth pea, the earnest yet produced.

PEAS, TELEGRAPH, Large growing vine, tremendous crop, large late peas of fine flavor.

SWEET CORN, EARLY CROSBY. Standard early good quality medium sized sugar corn.

SWEET CORN, STOWELL'S EVERGREEN. Late, very large and productive, finest quality for table use.

table use.

BEET, DETROIT DARK RED.
Round table of deep rich color.

CABBAGE, SUREHEAD. Large
round solid head, medium early
and great keepers.

CABBAGE, SUREHEAD. Large round solid head, medium early and good keeper.

CARROT, HALF LONG SCARLET NANTES. Splendid carrot for table use, will keep well.

CAULIFLOWER, EARLY SNOWBALL. Large white sure header, will keep well.

CELERY, GOLDEN SELF BLANCHING. The easiest celery to cultivate in the home garden; fleshy, tender, and brittle.

CUCUMBER, IMPROVED WHITE SPINE. Cool, crisp and tender, delicious when sliced.

CUCUMBER, EARLY CLUSTER. A small perfect pickle.

LETTUCE, EARLY CURLED SIMPSON. Loose, curly, thin, delicious leaves.

# Varieties of Garden Vegetables for 46c

LETTUCE, C A L I F O R N I A CREAM BUTTER. Large solid head, delightful, buttery flavor.

MUSKMELON, E M E R A L D GEM. Thin rind, dark green colored, thick, luscious, salmon tinted flesh

flesh.

WATERMELON, S W E T
HEART. Oval shaped, large,
scarlet flesh.

ONION, SILVERSKIN. Large,
white, mild and delicate flavor.
PARSLEY, DOUBLE OR EXTRA CUELED. Indispensable for
soups or garnishes.
PARSNIP, HOLLOW CROWN
The most satisfactory parsnip
grown.

RADISH. EAPLY SOURCE.

The most satisfactory parsnip grown.

RADISH, EARLY SCARLET TURNIP. Round red, solid, brittle and mild.

RADISH, FRENCH BREAK-FAST. Half long with white tip in sharp contrast with deep scarlet upper part. Texture solid but tender, flavor the best.

RADISH, LONG SCARLET SHORT TOP. Long, slender, deep scarlet and very brittle.

SPINACH, ROUND THICK LEAF. The standard variety.

SQUASH. EARLY WHITE BUSH SCALLOP. Wines are small, taking up little room, fruit is handsome and delicious.

TOMATO, ACME. The old reliable sure crop smooth, large tomato.

TURNIP, WHITE DUTCH.
Pure white, medium size, fine texture and dainty flavor, flat in shape
with small crown and leaf.

# ASTER COLLECTION

H 7007-12 Packages regular 10c. Size, Weight 2 ounces. Add one cent for postage if to be sent by mail.

One large packet, each of the following Asters; good fresh

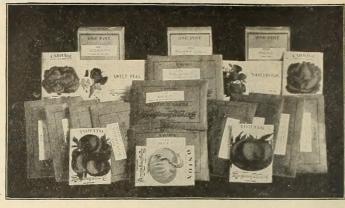
seed only is used.

Truffaut's Peony Flowered White. Truffaut's Peony Flowered Rose. Truffaut's Peony Flowered Scar-

Giant Comet White. Giant Comet Rose. Giant Comet Light Blue. Giant Comet Dark Blue. Semple's Tall Branching White. Semple's Tall Branching Pink. Semple's Tall Branching Car-

Semple's Tall Branching Dark Semple's Tall Branching Purple.

# Select Garden Collection



A Well Balanced Small Garden

.H 7003—Only the best fresh seed of the proved varieties used in this assortment, which would cost \$2 if bought from any other reliable house. Weight 4 pounds. If sent by mail add 32c. for postage.

Collection contains the following 21 varieties.

One Pint Each

BEANS, IMPROVED GOLDEN WAX. Dwarf snap bean, yellow pcd.
PEAS, LITTLE GEM. Dwarf, wrinkled, good quality.
SWEET CORN, EARLY MINNESOTA. Early good size and sweet.

One Ounce Each

LETTUCE, EARLY CURLED SIMPSON. Lodse curly leaves.
LETTUCE, IMPROVED HANSON. Solid head.
RADISH, EARLY SCARLET TURNIP. Round red.
RADISH, LONG SCARLET SHORT TOP. Long slender, bright scarlet

scarlet

BEET, EARLY BLOOD TURNIP. Deep crimson, early round.

BEET, LONG SMOOTH DARK
BLOOD, Will keep well.

CARROT, CHANTENAY. Scarlet, medium size half long.

CUCUMBER, I MPROVED
LONG GREEN. Good for pickling or slicing. or slicing.

TURNIP, EXTRA EARLY WHITE MILAN. Small, sweet and early.

and early.

RUTABAGA, AMERICAN

PURPLE TOP YELLOW: Large,

fine and sweet.

PARSNIP, HOLLOW CROWN.
Long and white.

SWEET PEAS, WARD'S
CHOICEST MIXED. All colors
are represented.

NASTURTIUM, WARD'S MIX-

ED CLIMBERS. of brilliant colors.

#### One Packet Each

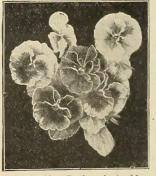
CABBAGE, EARLY WIN-NINGSTADT. Medium size, pointed head.

CABBAGE, PREMIUM LATE FLAT DUTCH. Very large, good for winter use. ONION, SOUTHPORT WHITE

GLOBE.

TOMATO, DWARF CHAMPION. Tree tomato, purple, solid
and smooth.

and smooth.
TOMATO, STONE. Large solid



AZURE. Dark velvety blue. KING OF BLACKS. Solid, rich, pure black.
FIRE KING. Intense red with lower petals yellow bordered. SNOW QUEEN. Pure white.

COLLECTION H 7009-8 Packets of the choic-

PANSY

est strains most highly developed pansies.

These packets would cost 10c. and 15c. each elsewhere. Add one cent if to be sent by mail. Assortment is as follows, all mammoth free flowering sorts:

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WHITE. With black center. PURE YELLOW. PEACOCK. Blue and purple. Blue and purple PRINCE BISMARCK.

#### VINES COLLECTION OF CLIMBING

H 7012—9 Packets. Only the choicest mixtures used. If by mail, add 2c. for postage. Assortment is as follows:

BALLOON VINE. Grows six feet, has ornamental balloon-like fruit.
CANARY VINE. Brilliant yellow, odd shaped flowers, rambling vines.
Of the Nasturtium family.
CYPRESS VINE, Dark green lace-like foliage, small star shaped red

or white flowers.

HYACINTH BEAN. Blue and white flowers, vine will grow ten feet

MOONFLOWER. Ipomea Mexicana. Very luxuriant vine, will cover an entire porch. Flowers open in evening, large, white, bell shaped and very fragrant.

NORNING GLORY. Japanese fringed mixed.
NASTURTIUM. Rambling vine, splendid mixture of colors.
SWEET PEAS. Climb three or four feet. Best of colors.
WILD CUCUMBER. Rapid growing green vine.

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# All Season's Vegetable Collection



**H 7002**—Weight, one and one-fourth pounds; if to be sent by mail add 10c for postage. ment contains one liberally filled packet of seed of each of the following select vegetables, especially chosen for successions.

Best varieties for a permanent supply of fresh vegetables all summer and well into the

BEANS, EARLY MOHAWK.
Dwarf green pod early snap beans.
BEANS, DAVIS WHITE WAX.
Dwarf growth, large crop, long slender fleshy, golden colored pods, very prolific.

BEANS, KENTUCKY WONDER OR OLD HOMESTEAD. A pole bean of large crop, good either as a snap or a shell bean.

BEET, EXTRA EARLY EGYPTIAN. Will preduce the very earliest supply of small delicate table beets.

BEET, LONG SMOOTH DARK BLOOD. Very desirable for pickles or slicing, rich color and

splendid keeper.

CABBAGE, EXTRA EARLY

JERSEY WAKEFIELD. The
earliest cabbage of good quality,
small pointed head.

CABBAGE, DANISH

HEAD. Imported seed of the best
large round head winter cabbage
known.

known.
CARROT, OXHEART OR
GUERANDE. Short, almost round,
of fine color and flavor.
CARROT, DANVER'S HALF
LONG. Splendid table carrot, half
long, stump rooted.

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CAULIFLOWER, EARLY
SNOWBALL. A fine white, solid, good keeper, sure to head.

CELERY, WHITE PLUME. A valuable sort, pure white and good

SWEET CORN, SUNRISE.
Medium sized, early and sweet.
SWEET CORN, COUNTRY
GENTLÆMAN. Medium late, main
crop sugar corn, very sweet.
CUCUMBER, CHICAGO
PICKLE. Small, early and prolific.

CUCUMBER, ARLINGTON WHITE SPINE. Excellent for silcing and for salads.

ENDIVE, GREEN CURLED. Sometimes called winter lettuce. SQUASH, EARLY YELLOW CROOKNECK. Summer Squash.

SQUASH, GOLDEN HUB-BARD. Best quality winter keeper TOMATO, SPARK'S EAR-LIANA. The earliest to be had large smooth red sort.
TOMATO, ACME. Large stand-

ard main crop.

LETTUCE, BIG BOSTON. Very

LETTUCE, BIG BOSTON. Very early, loose, curly leaves.

LETTUCE, C A L I F O R N I A CREAM BUTTER. Very solid head, tender and with buttery flavor.

MUSKMELON, OSAGE. A splendid home garden melon.

ONION, EARLY YELLOW FLAT DANVER'S.

ONION, LARGE WHITE GLOBE.

PARSNIP, HOLLOW CROWN.

The large main crop, popular sort.

PEAS, GRADUS. New, large,

ry early and sweet.

PEAS, GRADUS. New, large, very early and sweet.

PEAS, AMERICAN WONDER. Early, large vine and good crop of splendid eating peas.

PEAS, TELEGRAPH. Large and late, of extremely fine appearance and quality.

PUMPKIN, SWEET SUGAR. The small sized, sweet pumpkin which makes such delicious pies.

RADISH, EARLY SCARLET GLOBE. A perfect early small round deep scarlet root.

RADISH, FRENCH BREAK-FAST. Oval shaped, scarlet with white tip, very handsome and delicious.

RADISH, 7.0NG WHITE

RADISH, CONG WHITE LADYFINGER, Clear white, smooth, straight, slender and brit-

RUTABAGA, AMERICAN PURPLE TOP YELLOW. The standard sort.

standard sort.

SPINACH, ROUND THICK
LEAF, Rapid growing, making
good supply of delicious greens.

TURNIP. EXTRA EARLY
PURPLE TOP MILAN. Small and
early, very delicate.

TURNIP, WHITE GLOBE.
Fine for winter use.

# Model Garden Vegetable Collection

10 Pints of Garden Peas, Beans and Corn.

3 Quarter-Pounds Spinach, Radish and Watermelon.

12 Ounces of Best Vegetables.

7 Packets of the Choicest Vegetable Seed.

H-7004 Varieties

This assortment of well chosen fresh, pure and reliable seeds, if purchased elsewhere would cost at least \$3.75. If this collection contains one or two varieties you do not want you can either throw or give them away and still save money on the balance of your order. Only by putting up large



numbers of these collections at a time can we sell at such a remarkably close price. Do not ask us to change varieties

#### 1 Pint Each

BEANS, WARDWELL'S KIDNEY WAX. A yellow podded snap bean, very popular everywhere. Bunch or bush growth.

BEANS, EARLY REFUGEE.
Green podded, large crop and delicious flavor, bush growing snapbeans.

BEANS, LAZYWIFE. Green podded pole bean, gives an enormous crop, seed is medium large and pure white; good either as a green snap bean or shelled white bean.

BEANS, BURPEE'S BUSH

bean.

BEANS, BURPEE'S BUSH
LIMA. A dwarf growing sort of
the large seeded white Lima or
Butter bean. Small bush and
heavy yield.

SWEET CORN, EARLY MINNESOTA. One of the best very
early sweet corns, medium sized ear
and fine flavor.

SWEET CORN, COUNTRY
GENTLEMAN. A medium late
corn, fairly large ear of sweetest
sugar corn grown.

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PEAS, SURPRISE. The earliest of the wrinkled peas; this new sort is earlier than other sorts and better than the small white extra ear-

ter than the same lies.

PEAS, LITTLE GEM. A medium early Pea of many good qualities, growth very dwarf and a heavy yleider.

PEAS, TELEPHONE. The well known, strong growing and productive, large, late, main crop garden nea.

#### 1/4 Pound Each

7/4 Pound Each
SPINACH, BLOOMSDALE OR
SAVOY-LEAVED. This variety of
spinach is by far the most popular
of any. The leaves are large, very
thick and deeply wrinkled and pitted and of most pleasing flavor.
RADISH, EARLY SCARLET
TURNIP, Medium sized, perfect
globe shaped, deep scarlet root,
very mild, crisp, solid, and brittle.
WATERMELON, S WE E THEART. A medium early good
size round melon, very solid,
sweet, and delightfully julcy; deep
scarlet flesh.

#### 1 Ounce Each

BEET, CRIMSON GLOBE. Splendid early round table beet, rich color and perfect texture and flavor.

CARROT, DANVER'S HALF
LONG. One of the best standard
half long scarlet colored carrots,
very popular.

BEET, LONG SMOOTH DARK
BLOOD. Splendid for pickling or
keeping for winter use. Long root
permits a great number of equal
sized slices, very rich color.

CUCUMBER, CHICA CO
PICKLE. Small perfect pickle,
very prolific and fine appearance.

CUCUMBER, IMPROVED
WHITE SPINE. Best cucumber
for table use where a large solid
slice is desired.

LETTUCE, EARLY CURLED

slice is desired.

LETTUCE, EARLY CURLED SIMPSON'S. Very early loose curly leaves, thin, brittle, and delicious.

LETTUCE, IMPROVED HANSON. One of the very best head lettuces, almost as solid as a cabbage.

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MUSKMELON, OSAGE. Dark skinned slightly netted, orange colored flesh, solid and thick; its delightful flavor makes it the most prized table melon.

ONION, LARGE RED WETH-ERSFIELD. Large, mild and sweet a standard sort.

RADISH, FRENCH BREAK-FAST, Small half long root, red and white in sharp contrast very delicate and delightful both in appearance and taste.

RADISH, STRASSBURG. Medium late long pure white root, tasty and brittle.

RADISH, LONG SCARLET SHORT TOP. Long slender early root, bright scarlet and will snap like glass.

#### 1 Packet Each

CELERY, GOLDEN SELF
BLANCHING. A remarkably fine
pale golden celery of finest quality,
very easily grown and cared for.
CAULIFLOWER, ERFURT.
Fine, large densely compact, white
head, early, and a good keeper.
TOMATO, SPARK'S EARLIANA. The earliest smooth
large bright red tomato, a favorite
everywhere.

TOMATO, ACME. The standard of excellence main crop tomato, large smooth and solid, purplish red color.

CABBAGE, EXTRA EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD. Pointed had, solid and fine texture, very early.

early.

CABBAGE, PREMIUM LATE
FLAT DUTCH. Enormous large
flattened heads, which mature late
and keep all winter.

CARROT, FRENCH FORCING.
Very desirable for the earliest possible carrots.

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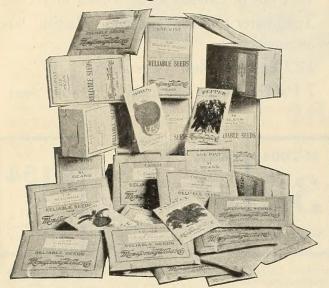
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# Complete Collection

# H 7005.

Would Cost \$4.50 bought elsewhere

# For the Vegetable Garden



# Varieties in Weight eleven pounds

Loose, thin, curly

#### One Ounce Each

sweet, a standard sort for canning.

PEAS, WARD'S VERY FIRST.
Small, extremely early, white smooth seed.

PEAS, NOTT'S EXCELSIOR.
Second early, very sweet, excellent quality.

PEAS, THOMAS LAXTON.
New, very large and sweet.

PEAS, TELEGRAPH. Large, late and heavy yield.

One Pint Each ¿ANS, EXTRA EARLY RED VALENTINE. Green podded snap bean, dwarf growth, red speckled

BEANS, CURRIE'S RUST PROOF WAX. Yellow podded, dwarf growth, black seed.
BEANS, LAZYWIFE. Green podded pole bean, white seed, used as shell or snap bean.
BEANS, BURPEE'S BUSH LIMA. Large white seed, dwarf growth.

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SWEET CORN, EARLY MINNESOTA. Early medium size.

SWEET CORN, COUNTRY GENTLEMAN. Medium late, large, very sweet.

SWEET CORN, STOWELL'S EVERGREEN. Large, late and sweet, a standard sort for canning.

BEET, CROSBY'S EGYPTIAN. Earliest, good quality round table BEET, DETROIT DARK RED.

Medium early, fine color, round and

Medium early, fine color, round and good keeper.

CABBAGE, EXTRA EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD. Small, very large, solid, pointed head.

CABBAGE, PREMIUM LATE FLAT DUTCH. Large flattened head, good winter keeper.

CARROT, OXHEART. Good color, almost round in shape.

CARROT, DANVER'S HALF LONG. Blunt pointed, scarlet, cylindrical root.

CARROT. LONG ORANGE. Long, slender, deep colored root.

CUCUMBER, LONG GREEN. Fine for pickling.

CUCUMBER, IM PROVED WHITE SPINE. Splendid for slicing or for salad.

LETTUCE, EARLY CURLED

SIMPSON. Loose, thin, curly leaves, very early.

LETTUCE, IMPROVED HANSON. Solid head, curly leaves.

MUSKMELON, NETTED GEM.
Oval shape, thick green flesh.

WATERMELON, COLE'S EARLY. Round shape, rich scarlet flesh, very sweet and a sure ripener.

ripener.

ONION, SOUTHPORT WHITE GLOBE. The best white onion.

ONION, LARGE, RED WETH-ERSFIELD. Large flattened, with purplish red skin.

RADISH, EARLY SCARLET TURNIP. Globe shaped, fine quality root, deep scarlet color.

RADISH, FRENCH BREAK-FAST. Oval shaped, red upper and white lower parts.

RADISH, STRASSBURG. Medium late, long, white, a favorite on the market.

SQUASH, EARLY YELLOW CROOKNECK. Best summer squash.

CROOKNECK. Best summer squash.
SQUASH, CHICAGO WARTED HUBBARD. Large, hard shelled rough winter squash, will keep long and well.
TURNIP, WHITE FLAT STRAP LEAF, OR WHITE DUTCH. Early, pure white, medium sized, flattened root.
RCTABAGA, A MERICAN PURPLE TOP YELLOW. Large and sweet, good keeper.
PARSNIP, HOLLOW CROWN. The old reliable sort of best quality.

#### One Packet Each

One Packet Each
CAULIFLOWER, EARLY
SNOWBALL A sure header,
white and solid.
CELERY, WHITE PLUME.
White, fleshy and brittle.
KOHLIRABI, EARLY WHITE
VIENNA. Early, best quality.
PARSLEY, DOUBLE OR EXTRA CURLED. For soup or garnishing.
SALSIFY, MAMMOTH SANDWICH ISLAND. Sometimes called
vegetable oyster.
TOMATO, SPARK'S EARLIANA. The earliest large smooth
variety.

TOMATO, BEAUTY. Large late main crop, purple tomato, very solid and smooth.

PEPPER, RUBY KING. Large oblong, bright red.

#### Market Garden or Club Order H 7006



\$480 buys \$10 worth of seeds. Weight 25 lbs. Varieties

One Quart Each
BEANS, EARLY MOHAWK.
Dwarf, green pod, early,
BEANS, DAVIS WHITE WAX.
Long pale yellow pod, white kidney
shaped seed.
BEANS, LAZYWIFE.
pod, medium size, round
seed, pole beans.
BEANS, BURPEE'S
LIMA. Large, white
seedd, dwarf.

dwarf.
PEAS, GRADUS. Very large

PEAS, GRADUS. Very large and early.
PEAS, PREMIUM GEM.
Dwarf, early and prolific.
PEAS, HORSFORDS' MARKET GARDEN. Medium, in season, main crop pea.
PEAS, TELEPHONE. Largest podded late pea.
SWEET CORN, CROSBY'S EARLY. Very early, medium size.
SWEET CORN, EARLY EVERGREEN. White cob, medium early, best quality.
SWEET CORN, COUNTRY GENTLEMAN. Zig-zag rows, very sweet, medium late.
SWEET CORN, STOWELL'S EVERGREEN. Large, late and sweet.

One-Fourth Pound BEET, EARLY BLOOD TURNIP. Early, round, deep color.
BEET, LONG SMOOTH DARK
BLOOD. Good keeper.
CARROT, IMPROVED LONG
SCARLET NANTES. Stump

rooted.

CARROT, CHANTENAY. Half long, medium size, best quality.

CARROT, IMPROVED LONG ORANGE. A large crop, long

ORANGE. A large crop, long heavy roots.

CUCUMBER, EARLY CLUSTER. Splendid for pickling.

CUCUMBER, I M P R O V E D LONG GREEN. A standard sort, good either for pickles or full grown cucumbers.

LETTUCE, EARLY CURLED SIMPSON. Loose curly leaves.

LETTUCE, BIG BOSTON. Very large, smooth, thin leaves.

LETTUCE, IMPROVED HANSON. Solid head, curly leaves.

LETTUCE, CALIFORNIA CREAM BUTTER. Distinct head lettuce.

MUSKMELON, ROCKYFORD.
Oval. green fleshed.

MUSKMELON, PAUL ROSE.
Oval, salmon colored flesh.
ONION, SOUTHPORT WHITE

GLOBE.
RADISH, EARLY SCARLET
TURNIP. White Tipped.
RADISH, LONG SCARLET.

RADISH, STRASSBURG. Long white.

RADISH, FRENCH BREAKFAST. Oval, scarlet, with white RADISH, EARLY SCARLET

GLOBE.

SQUASH, EARLY WHITE
BUSH SCALLOP. Summer squash.

SQUASH, CHICAGO WARTED
HUBBARD. Rough green hard

SQUASH, GOLDEN HUB-BARD. Hard shell, orange, golden

COLOR.

TURNIP, EARLY PURPLE
TOP FLAT STRAP LEAF.

RUTABAGA, A M E R I CA N
PURPLE TOP YELLOW. Large,
sweet and good keeper.

PARSNIP, HOLLOW CROWN.

### One Ounce Each

One Ounce Each

CABBAGE, EXTRA EARLY
JERSEY WAKEFIELD. Small.
early, solid pointed head.
CABBAGE, CHICAGO MARKET. Medium early, round head,
good keeper.
CABBAGE, DANISH BALL
HEAD. Best winter cabbage.
BRUSSELL'S SPROUTS, IMPROVED HALF DWARF.
CELERY, White Plume.
CELERY, Golden Self Blanching.

EGG PLANT, Improved New ENDIVE, Winter Lettuce, Green

KALE OR BORECOLE, Dwarf

KOHLRABI, Early White

Vienna.

TOMATO, SPARK'S EARLIANA. Very early, red, large and
smooth.

TOMATO, BEAUTY. Main crop purple.
TOMATO, STONE. Main crop, solid red

One-Quarter Ounce CAULIFLOWER. EARLY SNOW-BALL. A sure header. results which cannot be

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#### H 7011. FLOWER SEED COLLECTION



This assortment of flower seed is especially made up for those who wish to have a fine flower garden consisting of choice and easily grown annual flowers at a nominal cost for good seed. Weight, 3 ounces; if to be sent by mail add 2c. for postage.

ASTER, Giant Comet, all colors mixed. ALYSSUM, Little Gem, white

AMARANTHUS CANDATUS g). ACROCLINIUM (Everlasting

ower), mixed colors.

BALSAM (Lady's Slipper), rose flowered, all colors mixed. CANDYTUFT, Odorata, white.

CARNATION, Tall Mixed Mar-

COCKSCOMB (Celosia), dwarf

CENTAUREA, Cyanus, Double xed (Bachelor's Button). xed (Bachelor's Button). COSMOS, Giant Mixed Colors.

# 19 Packets usual size, for

DIANTHUS, CHINENSIS hinese or Indian Pink), all col-

MARIGOLD, all sorts and col-

MIGNONETTE, Reseda Odor-

Ata, very fragrant.

PANSY, Trimardeau Giant.

mixed, very large, all colors and
markings

PETUNIA. all colors mixed. PHLOX Drummondi all colors

PORTULACA (Rose uble mixed colors. moss).

SWEET PEAS, Eckford's, mixed

ZINNIA ELEGANS, mixed col-

# NASTURTIUM COLLECTION

H 7010-9 Packets of the best climbing named varieties.

Regular price 45c. If by mail add two cents for postage. Assortment is as follows, one packet each, all climbing varie-

JUPITER. Rich golden yel-

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KING THEODORE. Rich
deep crimson.

COCCINEUM. Bright scarlet
SCHEURMANI COCCINEUM, Scarlet striped.

ASA GRAY. Pale sulphur ye!low.

KING OF BLACKS.

MARGUERITE. Yellow blotch

ed striped and marbled with all shades of red. VON MOLTKE. Blush Rose. SPITFIRE. Brilliant glowing

#### RAINBOW COLLECTION

H 7014-16 Varieties of the brightest and showiest garden flowers, all easily grown from seed and free blooming. quantities are arranged just right for a pretty, well balanced flower garden. This assortment of seed if bought elsewhere would cost at least \$1.50.

14 lb. SWEET PEAS, Eckford's, Mixed Colors, 14 lb. NASTURTIUM, Ward's Mixture Tall Varieties.
1 Packet SALVIA SPLENDENS (Scarlet Sage).
1 Packet PANSY, Trimardeau Giant, Mixed Colors.
1 Ounce SWEET ALYSSUM, Little Gem.
1 Packet PHLOX DRUMMONDI, Fancy Mixed.
1 Packet VERBENA, Choice Mixed.

Mixed.

1 Packet ASTER, Mixture Tall Varieties.

1 Packet FOUR O'CLOCK or Marvel of Peru.

1 Ounce HYACINTH BEAN
(Dolichos)
1 Packet MIGNONETTE,

1 Packet
Machet.
1 Packet PETUNIA, Choice
Mixed Colors.
1 Ounce RICINUS or Castor Oil Plant.

1 Packet STOCK, German Ten

Weeks.

1 Packet BALSAM or Lady

1 Packet SWEET WILLIAM, Choice Mixed Colors.

H 7019

# Vegetable Seed Collection

24 Kinds

Especially designed for the kitchen garden and for amateurs. The cost is nominal, and the seeds are the finest mixtures ever gotten up. This is something new. All kinds of vegetables ready at your hand without the difficulty of studying out which variety you think you would like. All seed is clean and fresh and mixed in varieties, so as to furnish the garden with a wide choice of vegetables in all varieties. kinds in bulk. Price for this marvelous assortment only 39c. Weight of collection 56 oz., if by mail add 28c for postage. Collection contains:

1 Pint BEANS, best Dwarf or Bush Varieties Mixed. 1 Pint PEAS, Splendid Mixture of the popular garden sorts. 1 Oz. BEETS, Table varieties in mixture.

1 Oz. MANGEL or CATTLE BEETS, good for feeding cattle

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1 Oz. LETTUCE. All Varieties, late and early, curly and smooth leaved are included.

1 Oz. MUSK MELON, choice mixed, all varieties are repre-

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1 Oz. ONION, early and late, all 1 Oz. UMPKIN, splendid mix-culors, mixed.
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ture.
1 Packet, POLE BEANS. Mixed

varieties.

1 Packet POLE LIMA BEANS.
1 Packet BRUSSELLS
SPROUTS.

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1 Packet CHERVIL.

1 Packet, CABBAGE, mixed varieties.

1 Packet, CELERY, Best sorts.

1 Packet SWEET CORN, Mixture of the best varieties for table

use.

1 Packet CUCUMBER, choice varieties.
1 packet KALE.
1 Packet LEEK.
1 Packet SQUASH. All sorts.
1 Packet TOMATO, all varieties in fine mixture.

# SWEET PEA COLLECTION

# Price 42c



H 7008-Whole Pound of 16 of the choicest different varieties, one oz. pkg. of each. Weight of package 18 oz. If to be If to be sent by mail add 9c. for postage.

Assortment as follows, one ounce package of

DOROTHY ECKFORD. The best large pure white.
KING EDWARD VII. A new giant flowered brilliant deep

red.
MAJESTIC. New, large and
perfect, standard deep pink,
wings deep rose.
LOVELY Soft delicate pink.
SENSATION. Blush.
NAVY BLUE. Deep violet

NAVY BLUE. Deep violet blue.

LADY GRISEL HAMILTON. Lavender.
BLACK KNIGHT. Rich deep maroon.
GORGEOUS. Salmon orange.
MAID OF HONOR. White edged with lavender.
AMERICA. Brilliant red striped with white.
BLANCHE FERRY. Pink and white.
APPLE BLOSSOM. Standard bright rose, wings shaded to pink.

pink.

BLUSHING BEAUTY. Extra large, iliac tinted pink.

COQUETTE. Deep primrose. rose tinged.

GRAY FRIAR. Delicate lavender and white.

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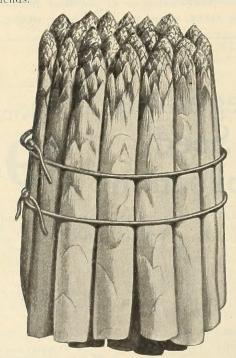
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# ASPARAGUS

Seed should be sown in open ground during April or May in rows one foot apart. Plants to be thinned out to three inches apart and kept free from weeds. May be transplanted the following year to permanent beds which have been well manured and prepared.

H 21—COLUMBIAN WHITE MAMMOTH. A very superior asparagus, having large pure white shoots that do not begin to color until three cr four inches above the ground. Shoots are brittle and delicious. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ½-1b. 15c, lb. 40c.

H 22—CONOVER'S COLOSSAL. This large green asparagus is a favorite in all markets. While the color is attractive the size is very large and the quality and texture excellent. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 10c, lb. 30c.

BEANS

Should be planted during May, or whenever the ground is thoroughly warm, and in drills two feet apart with about three inches between the beans. During cultivation, hoeing and weeding should not be done while the plants are wet with rain or dew, but only in dry weather.

Dwarf Green Podded Varieties

H 31 — EXTRA EARLY RED
VALENTINE. The seed stock of
this variety is of careful selection, and
is surpassed by none of the so called
improvements on this valuable bean.
The bush is of uniform height of
about 15 inches, and bears a great
abundance of succulent green colored
pods. These are very fleshy and
brittle, shape is round with deep
crease-back, medium length and
slightly curved. Pkt. 3c, pt. 12c, qt.
20c, pk. \$1.00, bu. \$3.50.

H 32 — BURPEF'S STRINGLESS
GREEN POD. The pods of this remarkable bean are about five inches
in length, slightly curved, very round,
crease-backed and absolutely stringless. It is very prolific and even earflier than the Valentine. Pkt. 3c, pt.
12c, qt. 20c, pk. \$1.00, bu. \$3.50.

H 33—LONGFELLOW. This is a
new bean of splendid properties, and
has been proved to be an ideal podded
snap bean. Pods are straight and
round, over six inches in length and
stringless until quite old. It is very
prolific and one of the earliest. Pkt.
3c, pt. 12c, qt. 20c, pk. \$1.00, bu.
\$3.50.

H 34—EARLY MOHAWK. An old
standard variety, early and very pro-Dwarf Green Podded Varieties

3c, pt. 12c, qt. 20c, pk. \$1.00, bu. \$3.50.

H 34—EARLY MOHAWK. An old standard variety, early and very prolific, produces green pods of good quality, flat, almost straight and very long. Pkt. 3c, pt. 12c, qt. 20c, pk. \$1.00, bu. \$3.50.

H 35— ROUND YELLOW SIX WEEKS. A very early and popular snap bean, pods round, fleshy and delicious. Pkt. 3c, pt. 12c, qt. 20c, pk. \$1.00, bu. \$3.50.

H 36—LONG YELLOW SIX WEEKS. This variety of green pod bean is one of the popular standard sorts in favor with all who know it. The pods are long and brittle, stringless until the pod is full grown. The flesh is thick and meaty and the large crop appears very early. It should be in every garden. Pkt. 3c, pt. 12c, qt. 20c, pk. \$1.00, bu. \$3.50.

H 38—REFUGEE OR 1000 TO 1. The great main crop green pod bean. Is later but more prolific than the extra early varieties. This bean has no equal for pickling or canning. Pkt.3c, pt. 12c, qt. 20c, pk. \$100, bu. \$3.50.

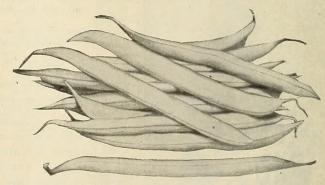
H 39—BEST OF ALL. A standard kind. Its green pods are very

H39—BEST OF ALL. A standard kind. Its green pods are very long, half round and very numerous. It has long been the market gardeners' favorite. Pkt. 3c, pt. 12c, qt. 20c, pk. \$1.00, bu. \$3.75.

H41—LARGE WHITE MARROW. A very large white shell bean. A splendid cooker. Pkt. 3c, pt. 12c, qt. 20c, pk. \$1.00, bu. \$3.75.

H42—PROLIFIC TREE. An improved navy bean. Perfect for use as a shell bean. Pkt. 3c, pt. 12c, qt. 20c, pk. \$1.00, bu. \$3.00.

#### Dwarf Wax or Yellow Podded Beans



Currie's Rust Proof Wax

H 51—CURRIE'S RUST PROOF WAX. A splendid black-seeded yellow pod bean which is absolutely rust-proof. The pods are long, flat, of a clear waxy color, and are very tender and delicious. It is an early bean and a heavy producer. One of the most popular varieties. Pkt. 3c, pt. 15c, qt. 25c, pk. \$1.50, bu. \$5.00.

H 53—DAVIS WHITE WAX. This wonderful kidney wax has proven itself a money maker. It is the best wax bean for the progressive gardener who wants to realize largely for his labors. It has a clear, strong growth, is almost absolutely rust proof and bears a bumper crop of pure waxy white extremely long pods which get the best prices on all markets and are unexcelled for canning purposes. Pkt. 3c, pt. 15c, at. 25e, pk, \$1.50, bu. \$5.00.

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#### Beans-Continued

H 52— IMPROVED GOLDEN WAX. A great GOLDEN WAX. A great improvement on the old fashioned Golden Wax bean, it is mere vigerous and productive. Has more vitality and is thua able to better withstand rust than the old sort. It is earlier that Wardwell's Kidney wax and has become a staple bean with the market gardener. The pods, which are borne in great abundance artiong, almost straight, broat and flat. The color is of the burest golden yellow, and the and fat. The color is of the purest golden yellow, and the thick fissh is exceptionally tender and wax-like. Pkt 3c, pt. 15c, qt. 25c, pk \$1.50, bu. \$5.00.

H 55—PROLIFIC GERMAN BLACK WAX. Pods of medium length, round, slightly curved, of beautiful creamy color and remaining in the condition called snap longer than other varieties. Peds are numerous and well held up from the ground. Pkt. 3c, pt. 15c, qt. 25c, pk. \$1.50, bu. \$5.00.

H 56 — WARDWELL'S KIDNEY WAX. The standard earliest and hardiest yellow pedded bean, grown extensively for market and canning purpose in all parts of the country. The plant is medium size, bears pulifically flat shaped, long, brittle pods of a clear gold en yellow color. Pkt. 3c, pt. 15c, qt. 25c, pk. \$1.50 bu. \$5.00.



M. W. & Co.'s Improved Golden Wax



Burpce's Bush Lima Bean

H 71-BURPEE'S BUSH LIMA. A true bush form of the large lima. It grows eighteen to twenty inches high. Has very vigorous growth and branching habit. It is a tremendous yielder, its numerous pods each containing three or four mammeth beans of excellent quality. Pkt. 3c, pt. 15c, qt 25c, pk. \$1.60, bu. \$6.00.

H 72-HENDERSON'S DWARF LIMA. A compact form of the small "Sleva" or "Butter Bean," of the southern states. It is especially suited for sandy soil and warm location. Pkt. 3c, pt. 15c, qt. 25c, pk \$1.60, bu. \$6.00. Pole or Climbing Beans

H S1-LAZY WIFE. Is immensely popular everywhere and is unsurpassed for general utility. It is a lusty climber and its vines are loaded heavily with dark green pods from four to six inches in length. The pods are broad, thick and tender, very fleshy and absolutely string less, retaining these qualities until almost ripe. As a shell bean, also, it has no superior. It is a great faverite in the home garden. Pkt. 3e, pt. 15c, qt. 25c, pk. \$1.60, bu. \$6.00.

H S2-KENTUCKY WONDER OR OLD HOMESTEAD. An enormeusly productive pole bean that is widely popular. The poles are literally covered with silver-green pods, frequently over six inches long. Pods are very fleshy and deeply creasebacked. Pkt. 3c, pt. 15c, qt. 25c, pk. \$1.60, bu, \$6.00.

Pole Lima Beans

#### Pole Lima Beans

H 91—KING OF THE GARDEN LIMA. Has very vigorous vines and bears large numbers of pods, each containing four or five immense white beans of excellent quality. Its productiveness and the fine size of its succulent beans make it a favorite and staple lima bean. Pkt. 3c, pt. 15c, qt. 25c, pk. \$1.40, bu. \$5.00.

H 94—SMALL WHITE LIMA OR SIEVA. Although the bean itself is small it is of excellent flavor and gives tremendous results. Pkt. 3c, pt. 15c, qt. 25c, pk. \$1.40, bu. \$5.00.

#### BEET

A light sandy loam, well enriched with stable manure makes the best ground for beet culture. After the soil has been thoroughly worked, plant the seed in drills eighteen inches apart and thin the plants to three or four inches. If seed is planted as soon as ground may be worked and fresh seed planted every two weeks afterward up to the first of July, a fine succession may be maintained. Sugar Beets and Mangels should be sown April or June in drills two feet apart and afterwards thinned to one foot between each plant. 6 lbs will plant an acre.



H 110—EXTRA EARLY EGYP-TIAN. The well known extra early beet, splendid results obtained by forc-ing Pkt.3e, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. Sc, lb. 2Sc. H 111—DETROIT DARK RED. One of the best beets for home or market use and unequaled for canning, on account of its deep color. The tops grow small and upright, the roots are perfectly smooth, of deep color, and when cut show delicate rings or zones. The flesh is full flavered, tender and delicate. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, 1/4 lb. 8c, lb. 29c.



Long Smooth Dark Blood.

H 112-LONG SMOOTH DARK BLOOD. A standard late or main crop beet, good for winter use. Flesh very dark and tender. Roots grows half out of the ground and is easily harvested. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ½-lb. 8c, lb. 28c.

H 113-HALF LONG DARK BLOOD. A perfect beet for winter use; shape is very symmetrical, with fine color and texture. Flesh is very sweet, crisp and tender. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, 1/4-lb. 8c, lb. 28c.

H 121-SWISS CHARD or SEA KALE BEET. Grown for the tops only, which are used as greens. It is much superior to the ordinary beet for this purpose. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, 1/2-lb. 10c, lb. 34c.

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#### MANGEL OR CATTLE BEET

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Spencer, Iowa, Nov. 23, 1907. Montgomery Ward & Co.

Gentlemen. The Mammoth Long Red Mangel which I raised from the seed H 131, purchased of you last spring, secured for me a very satisfactory prize. These are the largest mangels I ever saw and yield a very prolific crop. I send my photograph, as I raised this mangel myself.

Yours truly, Miss Mary L. Rubes.

H 131—MAMMOTH LONG RED. We have a select strain of seed of this great beet for stock feeding. It is surpassed by none of the so-called improvements. The roots are long and heavy and flesh is splendid for winter feed. It yields a tremendous crop. ¼-lb. 5c, lb. 13c, 10 lbs.

H 133—GOLDEN TANKARD. Flesh yellow with white rings, half long with heavy shouldered top and bottom, regular in shape. It is preferred by many. ¼-lb. 5c, lb. 14c, 10 lbs. for \$1.30.

H 134—YELLOW GLOBE. An extra large, round root, deep yellow color, and of very fine quality. Will grow a large crop on shallower soil than the longer varieties require. 4-lb. 5c, lb. 14c, 10 lbs. for \$1.30.



# Sugar Beet

H141—VILMORIN'S IMPROVED SUGAR. This improved French variety is exceedingly rich in sugar and is rapidly coming to the front as a winter stock food. The crop is enormous, under ordinary conditions averaging 14 tons to the acre. 14 lb. 5c, lb. 13c, 10 lbs. \$1.20.

H 144 - KLEIN WANZLEBEN. This beet is the favorite on account of its conical heavy shouldered shape which renders it easily harvested. For sugar product it is unexcelled as it has rendered 18 per cent sugar. It salso the best winter food for milch cattle. 14-lb. 5c, lb. 14c, 10 lbs.



Mammoth Long Red Mangel

We appreciate it very much when a customer writes us a letter to tell us how good a crop he grew from seed purchased from us. We also are glad to receive photographs of large or fine quality vegetables grown from our seed. Sometimes we can find a place to print these letters and photos, which makes it quite interesting

#### BROCCOLI

Vegetables resembling cauliflower, easily grown from seed in open ground.

H 151-WHITE CAPE. Pkt. 3c, oz. 25c, 1/4 lb. 80c, lb. \$3.00.

### BRUSSEL'S SPROUT

One of the best winter vegetables. The small cabbagecooked are delicious. Culture same as cauliflower.

H 161—IMPROVED HALF DWARF. The very best and surest kind. Pkt. 3c, oz. 20c, ¼-ib. 45c, lb. \$1.60.

#### CHERVIL

Culture and use the same as Parsley. H 171—CURLED. Best sort for garnishing, soups, etc. Pkt. 3c, oz. Sc, ¼-lb. 25c, lb. 80c.

#### COLLARD

Sow seed in June, July and August for succession. Cultivate same as cabbage.

H 191-TRUE GEORGIA. Pkt. 3c, oz. 8c, 1/4 -lb. 25c, lb. 90c.

#### CORN SALAD

Sow during August or September; just before winter cover with straw.

H 201-LARGE LEAVED. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, 1/4 lb. 15c, lb. 40c.

#### CRESS

Easily and quickly grown; splendid for garnishing. H 211-CURLED. Pk. 3c, oz. 5c, 1/4 -1b. 10c, 1b. 20c.

#### CAULIFLOWER

The cauliflower may be grown in any part of the country, Maine, Florida, the Central States or the Pacific Coast. Fresh cauliflowers are received in carloads all winter from California growers. This delicacy always has a ready market and gets a good price. In culture it is the same as cabbage, excepting that it requires more care and will suf-fer more from neglect than cabbage. The soil is prepared, the seed sown and the plants set out in the same manner as cab-bage. The cauliflower however, requires more water during growth and more thorough tillage and liberal treatment as regards manure. The following two varieties are the only two which are adapted for culture in this country. In habit they are very similar. One ounce of seed should produce 3,000 plants; 2½ ozs. enough to plant an acre.



A nine-pound Cauliflower from our seed

H 221—EARLY SNOWBALL. This variety of cauliflower is splendidly adapted to our climate. It grows large, solid snow-white heads, remarkable for solidness, freedom from leaflets in the head, for earliness and delicious quality. The heads of this wonderful variety often attain enormous proportions still keeping shape and color good. Pkt. 3c, ¼-oz. 45c, ½-oz. 80c, oz. \$1.50, ½-ib. \$4.50, lb. \$16.00.

II 222—EXTRA EARLY ERFURT. This is a remarkably early strain of Cauliflower which grows to a good size, is a sure header and is used extensively by many of our most prosperous market gardener friends. Pkt. 3c, ¼-oz. 45c, ½-oz. 80c, oz. \$1.45, ¼-lb. \$4.40, lb. \$15.00.

Do not feel obliged to limit your purchases to seeds. We sell everything you eat, wear or use, and ask from 10 per cent to 30 per cent, less than others for identically the same goods. If you have not our large annual catalogue you should have one. When you order a dollar's worth of seeds or other goods of any kind, ask us to send you a large catalogue free and postpaid.

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#### CABBAGE

Cabbages are grown in every locality and under many different conditions: In the Northern States they are usually In the Southern States they are started in open ground in the spring or fall. The soil best suited for growing cabbages is a rich, heavy, moist loam. Cabbages require very a careful beging and weeding and median careful beging and median and started in hotbeds and later transplanted to open ground. careful hoeing and weeding and protection from worms,



Extra Early Jersey Wakefield

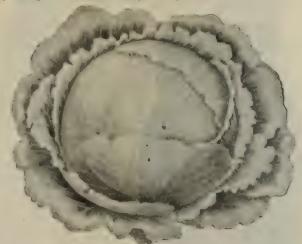
H 231—EXTRA EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD. The very best cabbage where the earliest head is required. Heads are small or medium in size, pointed in shape, solid and of best quality. It is very hardy, withstanding cold weather so well that it is popular in the South planted in the late fall for an early spring cabbage. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c, %-lb. 35c, lb. \$1.10.

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H 235—LARGE YORK. Very early heads medium sized, neat shaped very tender and of very best quality. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c, ¼-lb. 30c, lb. 90c.
H 236—CHARLESTON LARGE WAKEFIELD. Very similar to the early Jersey in all respects, but larger and preferred by many. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c, ½-lb. 35c, lb. \$1.10.
H 237—EARLY SUMMER. A splendid second early cabbage, valuable both for family and market use. Heads are slightly pointed or sometimes quite flat and remain in condition for use, without bursting much longer than any other cabbage that matures in the summer. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c, ¼-lb. 30c, lb. 90c.
H 238—ALLHEAD EARLY. A splendid second early cabbage for

H 238-ALLHEAD EARLY. A splendid second early cabbage for all gardens whether large or small. Heads are of medium size, round, very compact and are uniform in size. Pkt. 3c, oz. 12c, 1/2-1b. 40c,

H 239—ALL SEASONS. While almost as early as the earliest it is also a fine large head for fall markets. It is a splendid keeper and shipper. Fkt. 3c, oz. 10c, 4-1b. 35c, ib. \$1.10.

H 242—EARLY WINNINGSTADT. A standard second early that has a solid pointed head. Many gardeners prefer this to any other early cabbage. Pkt. 3c, oz. Sc, 4-lb. 25c, ib. 70c.



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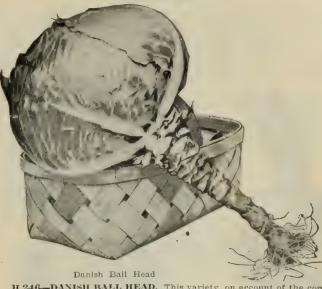
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H 244—CHICAGO MARKET. The heads weigh from nine to ten
pounds, and while maturing at least a week earlier than the Early
Summer, remain good without bursting for an incredibly long period.

Nothing better of this type of Cabbage has yet been produced; it appears
congenial in habits to all parts of the country and is largely grown
throughout the Southern States for shipment to Northern markets. We
wish to call your attention to the fact that the name Chicago Market
is used locally by many seedsmen for several different varieties of
Cabbage. The sort here described and like the photograph above is obtainable only through Montgomery Ward & Co. Packet 3c, oz. 12c, ½1b. 40c, lb. \$1.25.

H 245—SUREHEAD. Medium-sized, very hard-headed, medium late, or main crop cabbage. It is a great favorite and greatly relied upon for its sure heading qualities. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c, 4-lb. 35c, lb. \$1.10.

Cabbage—Continued



H 246—DANISH BALL HEAD. This variety, on account of the compact growth, will allow closer setting out, and with average good fortune 95 per cent of the plants will head. While not so large as the Late Flat Dutch the heads are rounder, harder and weigh more according to size than any other cabbage grown. It is the finest keeper known. When put in a pit over winter and taken out in March or April to ship it is as fresh and sweet as when put in and there is scarcely any waste whatever. On account of its keeping qualities, its fine appearance and quality it sells when the market is best. Pkt 3c, oz. 20c, ¼-lb. 60c, lb. \$2.25.



This photograph was sent us by Mrs. Wm. Zimmerman, R. F. D. 20, Peru, Illinois, and the inscription referring to the cabbages reads:

"Raised from Montgomery Ward & Co. Seed. Weighs 9½ lbs. 34 inches circumference, 8½

inches diameter.

We will be glad to print pictures of any vegetables grown from our seed that our friends send us.

H 249—MARBLEHEAD MAMMOTH. This is the largest cabbage grown, under favorable conditions a field of these will average thirty-five pounds a head, some larger and some smaller. It is very late to mature and should be started very early for big crops. The eating qualities are very good considering its immense size. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c, 4-lb. 30c, lb. 80c.

H 251-MAMMOTH ROCK RED. As a large, sure-heading, reabbage, it is unexcelled. Heads are red clear to the center and is reliable cropper. Pkt. 3c, oz. 12c, ¼-lb. 40c, lb. \$1.25.

H 253-IMPROVED AMERICAN SAVOY. Heads round, large and solid. A better header and more curled than any other Savoy cabbage. Splendid for either home or market garden. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c, ½-lb, 35c, lb, \$1.00.



H 2-47-PREMIUM LATE FLAT DUTCH. This is a standard sort of large, flat-headed cabbage of excellent quality. It keeps well and can be roughly handled without damage, making a good shipper. Every large grower always depends on the Flat Dutch for his main money making crop. Our seed is fresh and from selected heads. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c, ¼-ib. 30c, lb. S0c.

#### CARROTS

The small table varieties are necessary in any kitchen, while the large field varieties make the best winter feed for stock. Any good land that has been well worked will raise a carrot crop. Should be planted in drills as soon as ground can be worked, and plants thinned to two inches apart. The large stock carrots should be thinned to from four to six inches apart.



Half Long Scarlet Nantes



H 271—EARLY FRENCH FORCING. This is the best variety for forcing for early markets. The reddish orange colored roots are almost round. When mature they are about two inches in diameter and three in length, but should be used before they come to full size. Pkt. 3c, oz. 7c, ¼-lb. 20c, lb

70c.

H 272—DANVER'S HALF LONG. Our selected stock seed of this excellent variety furnishes the best all round carrot grown. For table, market or stock food it ranks first. The color is reddish orange, the texture delicate and solid, the shape medium long, smooth and tapering. Taken up early it makes a handsome bunch and allowed to mature it will yield more per acre than any other of the finer grade carrots. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ½-lb. 14c, lb. 45c.

H 273 — HALF L O N G SCARLET NANTES. Stump rooted. One of the hand-somest and best flavored, medium sized carrots. Ex-cellent for home or market garden. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 14c, lb. 45c.

H 274 — OXHEART OR GUERANDE. Root very short, but wide across, gives a heavy crop even on poor soil and is easily harvested. The large, full grown roots are splendid for stock feeding, while the young, small sized roots are crisp, sweet and excellent for the table. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 15c, lb. 50c.

H 275 — EARLY SCAR-LET HORN. Splendid early table carrot, good, rich col-or, and sweet, brittle fiesh. Roots half long with blunt tip. Pkt. 3e, oz. 5e, ¼-lb. 15e, lb. 50e.



H-277— IMPROVED LONG ORANGE.
In a deep, light soil tremendous crops of this valuable carrot may be grown. The orange colored carrot is heavy shouldered, long and tapering and keeps well, cattle food for winer and early spring. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 12c, lb. 40c.

Chantenay

Chanteved the color of the flesh and skin is pure white and the quality of the flesh the best for stock feed; will keep all through the winter with no waste. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 10c, lb. 35c.

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White Plume H 297—GIANT PASCAL, Easily blanched, fine keeping, large variety. Pkt. 3c, oz. Sc, ¼-lb. 25c, lb. 75c.

H 294—PINK PLUME. Similar to White Plume, but tinged with delicate rosy pink. Pkt. 3c, oz. 12c, ¼-lb. 40c, lb. \$1.25.

H 300—NEW ROSE. Fine in flavor, handsome color. Pkt. 3c, oz. 12c, ¼-lb. 40c, lb. \$1.25.

CELERY The seed is slow to

> the careful following of minute directions. If inexperienced, the grower should consult some good authority on celery culture. See No. M-45, on page 596 of our general catalogue number 76. Seed should be sown in a box or cold frame and as soon as large enough, trans-planted to bed in garden. Cut a little bit off the top

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cessful bed of cel-

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When quite strong stake the plants up and reset in trenches six inches deep. Earth up carefully for bleaching in September.

to make plant stocky.

H 291—WHITE PLUME. A splendid celery for either amateur cr market gardening. The natural color is white and does not require such careful bleaching as other varieties; it is early, makes a solid bunch and is a splendid keeper. Stalks have a delicate flavor; are brittle and free from strings. Pkt. 3c, oz. 15c, ¼-lb. 40c, lb. \$1.50.

H 292—GOLDEN SELF-BLANCHING. The market gar-dener's favorite for early use; is also a good keeper. Color is a pale golden yellow and quires little blanching. Qui is perfect. Pkt. 3c, oz. 14-lb. 70c, lb. \$2.50.

H 303—SOUP OR BUNCHING CELERY. Splendid for cutting to for soup, etc. Not good for blanching. 4-lb. 15c, lb. 50c. use for soup, etc.

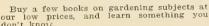


Giant Prague

#### CELERIAC.

This popular German vegetable is worthy of more extended use. It is much used in salads and also boiled like parsnips or turnips, is a great favorite with all lovers of celery, and keeps well all winter.

H 311-Giant Prague. This is unquestionably the largest and best Celeriac in existence. The roots are very large, oval in shape and like the photograph has very few side and bottom roots. The roots never rust and the flesh is pure white, tender and of most delicious flavor. Pkt. 3c, oz. 15c, ½-lb. 40c, lb. \$1.50.



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#### SWEET CORN.

Plant in hills three feet apart each way and five or six Hoe often and draw soil up to the stems; break off side shoots. Make the kernels in a hill.

ground rich with well-rotted manure. Sown in drills, a greater yield from a given surface will be obtained. By sowing successive lots and properly selected varieties, the supply of Sweet orn can be kept up until hard frosts kill the plants.

H 321—THE CORY. Very early, small ear, red cob, extra sweet. Pkt. 3c, pt. 15c, qt. 20c, pk. \$1.00, bu. \$3.75.

H 323—EXTRA EARLY ADAMS. Not a true sweet corn, but often used as such as it makes the earliest corn on the market, fair size ear. Pkt. 3c, pt. 10c, qt. 15c, pk. 60c, bu. \$2.25.

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H 325— MAMMOT H WHITE
CORY, Good sized ear, larger and better quality than the Red Cory but a little later. Pkt. 3c, pt. 15c, qt. 20c, pk. \$1.00, bu. \$3.75.

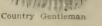
H326 — SUN-DISE. A new corn, very early, fine large ears, very sweet. Pkt. 3c, pt. 15c, qt. 20c, pk. \$1.00, bu. \$3.75.

H 327—EARLY CROSBY. A standard sort, medium early. weet and good sized ears. Pkt. 3c, pt. 15c, qt. 20c, pk. \$1.10, bu. \$4.25.

MINNESOTA.
One of the most extensively used and popular sweet corns grown, either for private use or early market. Always gives satisfactory results. Pkt.3c. pt. 15c, qt. 20c, pk. \$1.00, bu. \$3.75.







H 329 -- EARLY CHAMPION. Medi-um early large cars, fine quality. Pkt. 3c, pt. 15c, qt. 25c, pk. \$1.50, bu. \$5.00.

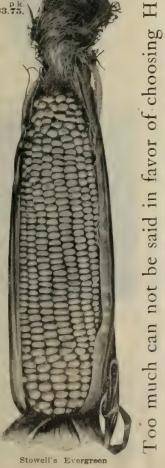
H 330 — EARLY EVERGREEN, White cob, similar to Stowell's but ear-lier and slightly smaller. Pkt. 3c, pt. 15c, qt. 25c, pk. \$1.55, bu. \$5.25.

H 335—COUNTRY GENTLEMAN. Late corn, narrow, deep corn, narrow, deep best flavored grains set very irregularly on cob. The very finest late corn for the home garden. Fkt. 3c, pt. 20c, qt. 30c, pk. \$1.60, bu. \$6.25.

H 336 — LATE MAMMOTH. Ears of good quality attain an enormous size, a ready seller. Pkt. 3c, pt. 15c, qt. 25c, pk. \$1.55, bu. \$5.25.

H 337 — ST 0-WELL'S EVER-GREEN. The stand-ard late or main crop corn, used ex-tensively for can-ning. Has fine foll-age for fodder. Pkt. 3c, pt. 15c, qt. 25c, pk. \$1.55, bu. \$5.25.

H 338 — BLACK MEXICAN. Grains even while green are bluish black col-or, very sweet and demanded by many of the best judges of corn. Pkt. 3c, pt. 15c, qt. 20e, pk. \$1.10, bu. \$4.25.



### CUCUMBER

The cucumber is of tender growth and should not be planted until weather is quite warm. Make hills rich with well rotted manure and plant a dozen seeds in each hill. Cover half an inch. When all danger from bugs is past, thin out to three or four plants in a hill. Hills should be about four fact parts are hour four plants. about four feet apart each way. For very early use, a gain of about six weeks may be had by starting plants in hot-

beds or small pots and transplanting later.

H 353-EARLY CLUSTER. A splendid pickle, fruit small and exceptionally abundant, grows in clusters. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 15c, lb.

ceptionally abundant, grows in clusters. Fig. 6, 32.

11 354—EARLY GREEN PROLIFIC. Dark green color; abundant Uniform in size making a fine pickle. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ½-1b. 15c, ib. 50c. H 355—ChifAGO Pickle. Although a new cucumber is already being extensively grown for pickles. Its uniformity and deeply spined fruit make it an ideal pickle. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ½-1b. 15c, ib. 50c. H 35.8—EARLY FRAME or SHORT GREEN, Medium size, excellent for slicing. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ½-1b. 15c, ib. 50c.



H 359-IMPROVED LONG GREEN. If grown for pickling should be planted late so that fruit will be small when picked. If allowed to grow to full size this cucumber is unexcelled for table use. These two qualities make it the most useful cucumber in general use. Pkt. 3c, oz. 8c, ¼-lb. 20c, lb. 60c.



H 361-IMPROVED WHITE SPINE. THITE SPINE. A very fine cucumber for Uniform in size, crisp and tasty. Pkt. 3c, slicing. See illustration. oz.5c, 1/4 -lb. 15c, lb. 50c.



Extra Long White Spine

H 365-EXTRA 10NG ? HITE SPINE. A beautiful shaped cucumber. As a perfect table cucumber has no equal. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, %-lb.

15c, lb 55c.

H 364-ARLINGTON WHITE SPINE. A good white spine, increasing in demand. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, %-lb. 15c, lb. 50c.

To avoid the attacks of the Cucumber's worst enemy, the "Striped Bug," and at the same time forward the growth of the plant at least a week, the following plan has been very successful. Cut fresh sods about three inches thick and four inches square from the pasture lot and place closely together grass side downward in an exhausted hot bed or cold frame and plant two or three seeds on each piece, and cover with a half inch of fine mold. After the plants have attained their rough leaves it is time to place the small sods in the open ground in the hills that have been previously prepared.

#### ENDIVE

Sow in June, July or August. Thin plants to six or eight inches apart. When grown, tie leaves up together for blanching. In the fall take up carefully with a little earth

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and store for winter use.

H 381--GREEN CURLED. Best sort for winter. Pkt. 3c, oz. 7c,

4-lb. 20c, lb. 40c.

H 382-WHITE CURLED. More handsome and better flavor, but
does not keep so long. Best for early use. Pkt. 3c, oz. 7c, 4-lb. 20c,



Early Evergreen

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#### EGG PLANT

Sow in hotbeds or boxes very early. When weather is quite warm transplant to open ground, leaving two feet between each plant. While young, plants are tender and easily damaged by cold or wet and great care should be exercised in growing them.

growing them.

H 391—IMPROVED NEW YORK PURPILE. This is a standard variety that represents the very best type of Egg Plant. The plants grow low, sturdy and branching, fruits appear early and bear continuously. The fruits are very large, of a short oval shape, are smooth and have a rich satiny purplish black color. Our seed is selected from perfect plants only. Pkt. 32, 02, 25c, ¼-lb. 80c, lb. \$3.00.



Improved New York Purple

### KALE OR BORECOLE

This is one of the best plants for the furnishing of greens. Moreover it is extremely ornamental for bordering the vegetable garden. The greens are for early fall, winter and spring use. The seed is sown about the middle of June, and later transplanted to rows 2½ feet to 3 feet apart. The dwarf sort may be sown later and need not be transplanted to furnish middle for pooling like Spingel. nice heads for cooking like Spinach. Frost improves the qual-

ity immensely.

H 401—DWARF GERMAN GREENS. This dwarf ornamental plant is curly as Parsley and even hardier than cabbage. The leaves are tender and of excellent flavor. Immense quantities of this delicious vegetable are shipped to Northern cities by the Southern truck gardeners. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 15c, lb. 50c.

H 402—TALL CURLED SCOTCH. Grows about 2 feet high, with an abundance of dark green leaves, which are very curly and wrinkled. So hardy as to be able to withstand the winters in the Middle states without protection. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ½-lb. 15c, lb. 50c.

#### KOHL RABI.



This delicious vegetable is not well enough known by the majority of people. It belongs to the cabbage family.

In growth it is similar to cabbage, but is used in the kitchen as a turnip. The globes should be used when two or three inches in diameter because if left longer they will become tough. Sow in open ground in drills and thin

ground in drills and thin six to eight inches apart.

H 411—EARLY WHITE VIENNA. This variety has a handsome white globe, a short growth of leaves and when put on the table excites not only the interest of those not familiar with it but is a delight to the palate of the connoisseur. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c, ¼-lb. 35c, lb. \$1.25.

H 412—EARLY PURPLE VIENNA. Similar in nearly all respects to the variety named above except the skin of the globe is a rich deep purple. It is considered by many to be superior to the white variety. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c, ¼-lt. 35c, lb. \$1.20.

#### HERBS

Aromatic and medicinal herbs of the ordinary kinds may be easily grown in open ground. Plant in rows and thin to allow room for each plant to have light, air and room to

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H	426-DILL	.033	.05	30	.23
3.5	427-FENNEL SWEET	()1)			.40
22	AND TRANSPORTED STREET	.03	.19	.25	.75
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H	429-LAVENDER	.03	.05	.15	.50
H	430-MARJORAM, SWEET	.03	.10	.25	.70
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$\mathbf{H}$	433-SAGE, BROAD LEAF	.03	.10	.35	1.20
H	434—SAFFRON	.03	.10	.25	.70
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-1	435-SAVORY, SUMMER	.03	.05	.10	,35
H	436-THYME	.03	.15	.40	1.40
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Sow early in the spring in drills six inches apart. thin out to one inch apart. Transplant later, giving more room and setting the roots as low as possible. Require plenty of H 441—LONDON BROAD FLAG. Best known and most cultivated, hardy and of fine quality. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, 4-lb. 18c, lb. 60c. There is Money in Mushrooms If you have a cellar,

an outhouse, root house or any unused sheltered place that can be kept at an even temperature, use it to grow Mushrooms. The occupation will interest you and the returns are quick and pay hand-somely. Hotels, Res-taurants and Fancy Grocers all pay highest prices readily for this delicacy. Shipped to your commission merchant in the city you will also receive good returns without the trouble of selling the product yourself.

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Mushroom Spawn



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#### LETTUCE

Lettuce leaves are invaluable for salads or garnishings, and may be easily grown by any one who has any garden space, no matter how small. Lettuce may be planted every two weeks and in this way fresh lettuce just ready to use is always at hand. The soil best suited for lettuce culture is risk and and are small contact. is rich and mellow and should have plenty of moisture. Lettuce is best during the spring months, while the weather is moderately cool, but some of the summer varieties grow quickly and produce fresh, crisp leaves, even in the hottest weather. Plant in rows one foot apart, thin for use.

H 451-BLACK SEEDED SIMPSON. For early use. For those who prefer a loose, curly head of thin, yellowish green leaves, there is no better lettuce than this variety. The growth is quick and the handsome curly leaves are very crisp, and of the best delicate flavor. While it is extremely early and well adapted for forcing under glass, it is also very slow to mature and remains in condition for use much longer than some of the other quick lettuces. Pkt. 3c, oz. 7c, ¼-lb. 20c, lb. 60c.



Improved Hanson

H 455—IMPROVED HANSON. This standard variety is the most planted of all head lettuces. Its popularity is due to the wonderful heat resisting qualities when used for outdoor summer planting. It forms very large, firm heads, with broad leaves, beautifully crimpled and exceedingly crisp, tender and sweet. The cutside leaves are shining green and the inside ones almost white, formed into a very hard, globular head. This is a fine market and home sort for all sections and the very best in the Central States where there is a great deal of sun. A sure header and reliable. Pkt. 3c, oz. 7c, ½-lb. 20c, lb. 60c.

H 454—PRIZEHEAD. A very thin leaved, loose, curly head. Extremely tender and excellent flavor. Leaves red edged. Pkt. 3c. oz. 7c, ¼-lb. 20c, lb. 55c.

H 456—CALIFORNIA CREAM BUTTER. This lettuce is one of e most popular varieties of head lettuce. Besides its large compact and it has a delicious butter flavor peculiar to its own variety. Pkt. 3c, 2. 7c, 4,-1b. 20c, 1b. 55c.

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California Cream Butter

H 460—BIG BOSTON. An enormous quick growing variety valuable forcing under glass. Pkt. 3c, oz. 7c, ¼ -lb. 25c, lb. 90c.

H 461-BUTTERCUP. The Buttercup has large smooth leaves, is a favorite on account of its extremely fine flavor. Pkt. 3c, oz. 7c, ¼-lb. 20c, lb. 60c.

H 465--RED OR BROWN DUTCH. Very hardy, used in the South a winter lettuce. Pkt. 3c, oz. 7c, 1/4 -lb. 20c, ib. 60c.

H 466—TRIANON COS. This is the most popular of the Cos or tall narrow leaved lettuces. These sorts are very popular in some markets Pkt. 3c, oz. 7c, ¼-lb. 20c, lb. 60c.

### MUSTARD

Mustard is greatly in demand for use as a salad. It may be had throughout the entire growing season by sowing during winter in hot beds, or forcing pits and on the opening of spring, in the open ground, where, by sowing at intervals of two or three weeks, it may be had in proper condition for use throughout the year. Sow thickly in rows, one foot apart in any soil.

H 471-BLACK OR BROWN. The young leaves are fine for salad. The seeds which are black color are used for medicinal purposes and in the manufacture of mustard. Lb. 15c.

H 472-WHITE OR YELLOW LONDON. This variety is hardly distinguishable from the preceding except that the seeds are bright yellow. Those seeds are the yellow mustard seeds used commercially for the manufacture of mustard. Lb. 15c.

H 473-GIANT SOUTHERN CURLED. An improved Mustard excellent for salad when plant is young. Oz. 5c, 1/4-lb. 10c, lb. 25c.

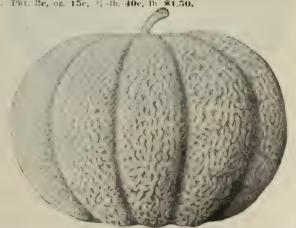
#### MUSKMELON

Muskmelons require a light, rich soil, and under favorable weather conditions a large crop of this quick selling market necessity is easily raised. Melons grown for home use are easily cultivated, and make a delightful fruit for breakfast or luncheon. Melons should be planted in the open ground after the spring is well advanced and the ground thoroughly warm. The ground should be well worked and a couple of shovelfuls of well-rotted manure should be mixed with the earth in each hill, taking care that all the manure is at least eighteen inches below the surface. The hills should be five feet apart each way and a dozen seeds planted in each hill. After the plants are well up and all danger from the striped bug is past, the plants are to be thinned out, leaving only three of the strongest plants in each hill. Cultivate as long as possible and pinch off the extreme tips of the runners to induce early and prolific fruiting. Powdered ashes or lime sprinkled lightly over the young plants will keep off the bugs which are so destructive to the young and



The New Burrell Gem

H 480—BURRELL GEM. The new Rockyford melon with the golden meat is a decided improvement over all melons hitherto cultivated for the most exclusive and particular tastes. It has a perfectly oblong shape, beautifully netted, and is fine size for shipping, all melons being very uniform in shape, size and weight. The seed of the Burrell Gem is ac yet extremely scarce, as great care has been taken to keep the strain pure and consequently we have to ask our customers what seems to be an enormous price when compared with the prices of seed of our other thoroughbred melons. But to the gardeners who desire a perfect melon that brings the highest price and sells the quickest we feel sure that price of seed is a second consideration. All who have grown this new melon write glowing accounts of great demand and fancy price obtained on all markets where they were offered last year. The demand exceeds the supply. The ment is rich golden and is eatable clear down to the thin rind. Pkt. 3c, oz. 15c, ¼-lb. 40c, lh \$1.50.



Chicago Market

H 481—CHICAGO MARKET. This melon, like photograph, is a very large, thickly netted, handsome fruit, slightly flattened at top and bottom. The shape is regular, size uniform, and is an abundant and prollific bearer. The flesh is solid, crisp and melting, green colored and highly flavored. While it is a good market melon it is also very fine for home garden culture. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 15c, lb. 45c.

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H 483—JENNY LIND. A well known small or medium sized melon: the Jenny Lind combines many good qualities and is reckoned among the best of the green fleshed sorts. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 15c, lb. 55c.

H 484—EARLY HACKENSACK. Another very popular green fleshed melon, of splendid qualities, noted for its extreme earliness to ripen and its prolific habits. Pkt. 3c, oz. 7c,  $\frac{1}{4}$ -lb. 20c, lb. 60c.



Rockyford

If 482-ROCKYFORD. This new famous melen is the mainstay of the western melon shippers. Its name is so well known that it is the standard by which all muskmelons are judged. Our seed is taken from selected melons grown especially for us, and every seed is as truly Rockyford as it is possible to obtain. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c. ½ -lb. 15c, lb. 50c.

H 485-HACKENSACK. Distinct from the early variety, this melon is larger, later, and more prolific. Pkt. 3c, oz. 7c,  $\frac{1}{12}$ -lb. 20c, lb. 60c.

H 486-OSAGE. The melon is a good shipper and its medium size handsome appearance and splendid eating qualities make it a ready seller and a profitable crop. The shape is oval, slightly ribbed and delicately netted. The flesh is deep salmon color and very rich and mellow. It is shipped long distances without damage. Pkt. 3c, cz. 5c, ¼-lb. 15c.

H 487-EMERALD GEM. One of the best flavored melons in existence, this sort is a small oval with dark skin and salmon colored flesh, very thick, with small cavity and exceedingly luscious. Is a very early ripener. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c, ½-lb. 25c, lb. 70c.

H 494-PAUL ROSE. One of the best market melons known. The Paul Rose is a cross between the Netted Gem and Osage and combines the best qualities of each. It is a good shipper and sells readily and is becoming more popular all the time with the gardeners who work for profit. The melon is almost round and has thick delicious salmon colored flesh. Pkt. 3c, oz 7c. ¼-lb. 20c, lb. 60c.



Netted Gem

H 488-NETTED GEM. This is a most popular medium or basket size melon that is grown extensively, especially in sections where melons are raised for profitable shipping to distant markets. The fruit is oval, slightly ribbed and thickly netted. The flesh is green colored and thick, with small seed cavity. The texture is fine and crisp, while the flavor is rich and sweet. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 15c, lb. 50c.

Lykens, Pa., Nov. 19, 1907.

Montgomery Ward & Co.

Respected Sirs: I have been dealing with you for the last six years, and during the last three years have bought of you nearly everything we have eaten and worn, besides having ordered many things for my neighbors. We have always been more than pleased with everything received, and appreciate your straightforward dealing. The seed you sold us last spring has grown vegetables that have secured for us ten dollars in prizes. I am very grateful to you.

Respectfully yours, Rev. Henry E. Hildt.

#### WATERMELON

Watermelons, like Muskmelons, require a light, rich soil. The hills should be about eight feet apart for the early ripening varieties. For the later and larger sorts a space of ten feet should be allowed between each hill. In making the hills ready for planting, a couple of shovelsful of well rotted manure should be well mixed in the soil about eighteen inches below the surface. The seeds should be planted ten or a dozen in a hill, and when well up and all danger from bugs is past, thinned out, leaving the three strongest plants in each hill.



New Perfect

H 500—THE NEW PERFECT is a very attractive melon. In size it is large, many specimens attaining a weight of over sixty pounds, even when grown as far north as Central Michigan. The shape is oblong, the color of the skin being an exceedingly dark green. The characteristic of the variety is that it ripens very early and will thrive on almost any soil, but prefers a light sandy one. The flesh is exceedingly sweet and melting, especially so if grown on congenial soil. The seeds are black or brown and do not have a "string" attached to them as some melons do. That is, they locsen easily from the flesh.

The rind is very tough and the keeping qualities excellent, thus rendring Montgomery Ward & Co.'s New Watermelon "New Perfect" one of the finest shipping melons yet introduced. This is a brand new melon of our own introduction, and as our stock of seed is limited we are only prepared to fill orders until our present supply of seed is exhausted. Price per pkt. 3c, oz. Sc, ½-1b. 20c, per lb. 60c.

Walthill, Neb., Sept. 20, 1907.

Walthill, Neb., Sept. 20, 1907.

Gentlemen: On April 19 I sent you an order for seeds, and among them a 5 cent packet of The New Perfect Watermelon seed. This seed I planted May 20, and on September 18 I picked one melon that weighs 55 pounds, is 4 feet 7 inches around the long way, and 3 feet 4 inches around the other way. In addition to its size it is the earliest and also the finest tasting watermelon I ever saw.

Yours truly, Mrs. James Hunter.



Cole's Early

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H 501—COLE'S EARLY. A medium-sized melon slightly longer than thick. The rind of this melon is thin and brittle and so is not suited for shipping, but is perfection for the home garden or near-by market. The flesh is rich scarlet colored and very luscious and well avored. Where earliness is a desirable feature this melon is the one to plant. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ½-lb. 10c, lb. 25c, 10 lbs. \$2.45.

H 502—PHINNEY'S EARLY. Perhaps this is the most popular melon of the north where its extreme earliness to ripen makes it a great favorite. The melon is oblong in shape and beautifully marbled in light and dark green. The flesh is a clear plnk, very watery and delictously sweet. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ½-lb. 10c, lb. 25c, 10 lbs. \$2.45.

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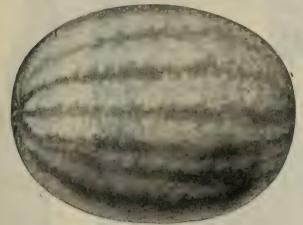
H 507—SWEETHEART. A most popular shipping melon. The Sweetheart has many worthy qualities. The shape is a large oval, marbled in light and dark green. The flesh is clear and always fresh and of melting lusciousness. It has a thin, teugh rind and the fact that it remains in good condition for eating long after being ripe, renders it one of the most valuable melons for the distant market. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, 4-1b. 10c, lb. 25c, 10 lbs. \$2.45.



McIver's Wonderful Sugar

H 508—McIVER'S WONDERFUL SUGAR. The sweetest melon known, it has a distinct, pleasing sugary flavor. The shape is long and rind is handsomely marked, like photograph of average melon shown above. The flesh is very solid, yet crisp and watery. Is of a brilliant rosy pink color. It is a good shipper and is popular not only in the home but also with the gardeners who raise large crops for the market Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 10c, lb. 25c, 10 lbs. \$2.45.

H 510-ICE CREAM or PEERLESS. An oblong melon with dark green skin Its deep rose colored flesh is extremely sweet and of grateful flavor. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 10c, lb. 25c, 10 lbs. \$2.45.



Kolb's Gem

H 512-KOLB'S GEM. This especially fine shipper is grown in tremendous quantities in all meion growing districts, and is shipped without damage to the Chicago and New York markets. The meion is a large oval, marbled skin, and has yery strong, tough rind. The fiesh is a showy bright scarlet of good quality and flavor. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 10c, ght scarlet of good 25c, 10 lbs. \$2.45.

H 513—FORDHOOK EARLY. One of the earliest large melons of good quality. Skin is dark green and tough enough to make a good shipper. Flesh is brightest scarlet and of pleasing sweetness. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, 4,-1b. 10c, lb. 25c, 10 lbs. \$2.45.



Kleckley Sweets

H 518 — KLECKLEY SWEETS OR MONTE CRISTO. This is truly a high class delicious meion from the south where it was originated by Mr. W. A. Kleckley. It is becoming famous for its delicious flavor. It is a long oval shaped meion, with a dark green rind. This rind is very thin and brittle and so prevents this otherwise perfect meion from being a good shipper. This therefore increases the importance of growing it for home consumption or for nearby markets where it is prized very highly and sells readily. The flesh is scarlet, lusclous and of fine clear texture. Its habits are congenial to any climate north or south. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 10c, lb. 30c, 10 lbs. \$2.80.

#### BOTTOM ONION SETS

Prices subject to market changes.

We offer superior quality, clean, dry sets, free from sprouts, at remarkably low figures. These sets are planted in spring instead of onion seed, thus producing on-ions much earlier. Large onions grown from sets may be either used young for bunching or allowed to attain full size and ripen. If ordered to be sent by mail, add 10c per quart to allow for postage. quart to allow for postage. Bushel and peck prices are allowing 32 lbs. to the bushcl. Quantities varying from 6 to 10 bushels are set out to the acre.

H 561—RED, per bushel, \$2.95, peck 75c, quart 15c. H 562—WHITE, per bushel, \$2.95, peck 75c, quart 15c.

H 563-YELLOW, per buel. \$2.95, peck 75c, quart 15c.



ONION

Onions require a rich, sandy soil, and should be sown in drills one foot apart as early in the spring as ground can be worked. When up, should be thinned to three inches between each onion. Must be kept free from weeds. Gardeners have recently been planting seed in hotbeds and later transplanting to open ground. This method is proving very successful and produces fine onions.

H 541—PRIZETAKER. A handsome globe-shaped yellow onion which grows to mammoth size. The flesh is white, mild and tender. A very popular sort for all gardens. Pkt. 3c, oz. 20c, ¼-lb. 60c, lb. \$2.00.



Yellow Globe Danver's

H 544 — SOUTHPORT YELLOW GLOBE. A fine market onlon. A splendid keeper and one of the best for home use. Pkt. 3c, 0z. 20c, ¼-lb. 50c, lbs \$1.75.

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H 545 — Y E L LO W GLOBE DANVER'S. The standard onion for winter use. It is almost globe shaped. Is earlier than the other globe cnions and has solid, mild and tender flesh. True seed of this excellent cnion is always in great demand. Pkt. 3c, 0z. 20c, ¼-lb. 50c, lb. \$1.50.

H 547—EARLY FLAT YELLOW DANVER'S. A very satisfactory onion to grow, as it ripens earlier and mere easily than do the Globe varieties. Grows to large size and has solid-flesh of mild flavor. Pk 3c, 0z. 20c, ¼-lb. 50c, lb. \$1.50.

Belington, W. Va., Aug. 24, 1906.

Montgomery Ward & Co.

Dear Sirs: I have raised the largest cucumber from the seed you sent me that I ever saw. It weighs 4 pounds. This is a fact and no fake. If there is any premium on this cucumber let it be known. You will please publish this cucumber and sign my name to it.

Draper England.

Jackson, Mich., Jan. 10, 1907.

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Dear Sirs: Please send me your special seed catalogue. I want to send there for my garden seeds again this year, they were all so good last year, and much cheaper than I got here, and oblige Yours truly,

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H 548 — AUSTRA-LIAN BROWN. A very deserving onion; rapid-ly becoming popular. Extra early in ripening. Is sure to produce a large crop of long keep-ing flat, but very thick, yellowish brown skinned onions. Flesh is very white, solid and mild. pkt. 3e, oz. 15e, ½-ib. 50e, lb. \$1.50.

H 549—S O U T H-PORT RED GLOBE. Very fine, large and of true globe shape, has small neck and solid mild flesh. Pkt. 3e, oz. 19c, ¼-lb. 50c, lb. \$1.50.





H 550—LARGE RED WETHERSFIELD. A standard onion of many good qualities. Half early and one of the best keepers. Onion is flat but thick and solid; has fine purplish red skin and white flesh. One of the most popular onions in existence for all uses. Pkt. 3c, oz. 20c, 1/4-5, 50c, lb. \$1.75.

H 551 — E X T R A EARLY RED FLAT. Slightly smaller than the Wethersfield, but earlier and a good cropper. Pkt. 3c, oz, 20c, ½-lb. 50c, lb. \$1.75.

#### OKRA OR GUMBO.

In the Southern States this delightful vegetable is grown extensively. It may also be grown in any part of the country and should, on its own merits, become better known than it is. It is delicious and very nutritious served in soups or stews. In this district it should be sown in May in drills two inches deep and from eighteen to twenty-four inches apart between the rows for the medium and dwarf. For the tall variety twice as much space is required. The pods should be picked

twice as much space is required. The pods should be picked and used while quite young.

II 571—DWARF GREEN. This is the old standard variety, early and prolific. In habit it is dwarf and bears green fleshy pods in profusion. Pkt. 3c, ¼-lb. Sc, lb. 24c.

H 572—WHITE VELVET. This variety produces extra large light colored pods, which are rounder and freer from prickles than the other sorts. It is medium in growth and an abundant producer. Pkt. 3c, ¼-lb. Sc, lb. 24c.

H 573—PERKINS MAMMOTH LONG POD. This is a tall growing variety and bears an enormous crop of green pods which measure four and five inches in length and are of splendid quality. Pkt. 3c, ¼-lb. Sc, lb. 24c.

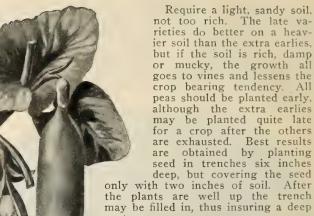
#### PARSLEY.

Parsley is indispensable. It is used for garnishing more than any other plant, and is also necessary in many soups, stews and omelettes. It may be grown early under glass or in the open ground. When grown in the open, seed should be sown early in spring in rows one foot apart. The seed is slow to germinate but grows rapidly after its first appearance. A beginner should not be disappointed if the other vegetables are up before the Parsley.

H 581-DOUBLE CURLED. This is a dwarf growing variety, delightfully green and beautifully curled. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 10c, lb.

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H 601—WARD'S VERY FIRST. The earliest and most even strain of extra early peas yet produced. Vines two and one-half feet high, bearing many straight pods well filled with small, smooth, yellowish white peas. When used quite young are of good quality. Pxt. 3c, pt. 10c, qt. 20c, pk. \$1.25, bu. \$4.00. root

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H 602— PHILADELPHIA EXTRA EARLY. A distinct strain of smooth extra earlies, very popular where quick results are desirable. Pkt. 3c, pt. 10c, qt. 20c, pk. \$1.25, bu. \$4.00.

H 604—TOM THUMB. Dwarf growth of about 10 inches, allowing close planting, very early and fine crop. Has wrinkled peathat is very sweet. Pkt. 3c, pt. 10c, qt. 20c, pk. \$1.30, bu. \$4.75.

H 605—ALASKA THE EARLI-EST. The earliest of all blue peas. Better in quality and more abundant than the white seeded extra earlies. A standard for early crop of good quality. Pkt. 3c, pt. 10c, qt. 20c, pk. \$1.30, bu. \$4.50.

H 606—NOTT'S EXCELSIOR. Growth about one foot, making one of the best early peas for general use. Peas wrinkled and very sweet, high, heavy crop, well filled pods. Pkt. 3c, pt. 15c, qt. 25c, pk. \$1.40. bu. \$5.00.

H 607—AMERICAN WONDER, Early standard wrinkled sort, grows one foot high, and bears roundantly. Pkt. 3c, pt. 15c, qt. 25c, pk. \$1.40, bu. \$5.00.

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H 608—PREMIUM GEM, Wrinkled pea, very early and of the best quality. Vines one foot high and noted for their plentiful crop of pods crowded with finest quality peas. This sort is planted extensively in all gardens large and small. Pkt. 3c, pt. 10c, qt. 20c, pk. \$1.30, bu. \$4.75.

H 609-LITTLE GEM. A distinct sort of early wrinkled peas with growth of about fourteen inches, is exceptionally prolific with straight, fat, well filled pods. Pkt. 3c, pt. 10c, qt. 20c, pk. \$1.30, bu. \$4.75.

If 610—GRADUS. Without doubt this is the best of the very early wrinkled peas. Has very large pods which make it of great value to the market gardener, grows about three feet high and produces abundantly. The peas are very tender and of sweetest quality. Pkt. 3c, pt. 20c, qt. 30c, pk. \$2.25, bu. \$8.60.

H 611—SURPRISE. A wonderful new pea combining all the good qualities of the smooth extra earlies and of the larger and sweeter sorts. Grows about two feet high and is a tremendous heavy bearer. Pkt. 3c, pt. 15c, qt. 25c, pk. \$1.40, bu. \$5.00.

H 612—THOMAS LAXTON. A splendid new pea of distinct merits. Grows three feet high and resembles the Gradus, but is darker and more productive. Abundant pods are well filled with large peas, of sweetest flavor and finest quality. Pkt. 3c, pt. 15c, qt. 25c, pk. \$1.60, bu. \$6.00.

H 613—CHAMPION OF ENGLAND. A well known standard sort growing five feet high and abundantly prolific. Pkt. 3c, pt. 13c, qt. 22c, pk. \$1.45, bu. \$4.98.

H 614—ADVANCER. Grows two and one-half feet high; a standard sort of very best quality, used extensively for home use, market, and by the large canners. Pkt. 3c, pt. 15c, qt. 25c, pk. \$1.40, bu. \$5.00.

H 616—HORSFORD'S MARKET GARDEN. A splendid and popular productive pea. Grown on a large scale by gardeners desiring a heavy crop and excellent quality. Height two and one-half feet. Pkt. 3c, pt. 15c, qt. 25c, pk. \$1.40, bu. \$5.00.

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The leading pea with all market gardeners, who appreciate its fine appearance and splendid quality. Its vigorous vines grow four feet high, and produce abundantly a very heavy crop of large pods filled with immense peas which, however, are very tender, cook easily and are of the very finest flavor. Pkt. 3c, pt. 15c, qt. 25c, pk. \$1.60, bu. \$6.00. 15c, qt. 2c bu. \$6.00.

H 620--TELEGRAPH. A very strong growing and vigorous vine about four feet high. Is hardy and productive. Pods and peas are large and of quality equal to the best. Pkt. 3c, pt. 15c, qt. 25c, pk. \$1.40, bu. \$5.00.

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Grows about 5 feet high
and produces abundantly. Pods are well
filled with large smooth
yellowish white peas,
more desirable for use
in winter than while
green. Pkt. 3c, pt. 10c,
qt. 15c, pk. 80c, bu.
\$2.00. green. Pkt. 3c qt. 15c, pk. \$3.00.

H 622 — B L A C K EYED MARROWFAT. A very popular mar-rowfat, very prolific, and a good cooker. Pkt. 3c, pt. 10c, qt. 15c, pk. 80c, bu. \$3.00.

Where a bushel or more of Peas, Beans or Corn is ordered no ex-tra charge is made for bags used in shipping.

# PARSNIP.

Telephone Peas

The parsnip is in cultiva-tion similar to the carrot. The seed should be sown in spring rather thickly in rows about twelve or fourteen inches apart or more if to be cultivated with a horse cul-tivator. Plants should later be thinned to about four inches. The root is perfectly hardy and may be left out all winter and taken up for use early in spring.

H 631 — HOLLOW
This is the standard unexcelled variety, fine in flavor, shape like photograph. There is no better, fresher seed of this variety offered, Pkt. 3c, ¼-lb. 7c, lb. 25c.

#### SPINACH.

Sow early in spring in rows one foot apart; if a succession is desirable sow every two weeks until fall. If planted in the fall for wintering over, plants should be covered lightwith straw or litter as pro-tection against cold. If planted in very rich soil the leaves will be more tender and delicious.

H 731—BLOOMSDALE OR SA-VOY LEAVED. Leaves are crimped and pitted like those of a Savoy cab-bage. It grows rapidly; is quite hardy and is much used in the South for wintering over. South of Cin-cinnati it requires very little cover-ing during the winter. Oz. 3c, ½-lb. 5c, lb. 14c, 10 lbs., \$1.30.

H 732—ROUND THICK LEAVED. A standard sort for spring planting; popular with market gardeners. The leaves are thick, tender and very succulent. Oz. 3c. ¼-lb. 5c, lb. 12c, 10 lbs. \$1.10.

### PEPPER

The Pepper plant is by nature tropical and requires to be started in hotbeds or in the house. Planted in hotbeds in March and treated the same as Egg Plant, good results will follow. Best crops are raised on light sandy soils, but this is not essential for successful growing of Peppers. Set the plants out in rows two feet apart with fifteen inches between the plants.



H 641 CHINESE GIANT. One of the best and largest Mango Peppers ever produced. Bears very early and continuously.

Mammoth fruit like photograph. Flesh is beautiful glossy red; very mild flavored with few seeds. Pkt. 3c, oz. 25c, ½-lb. 80c, lb. \$3.00.

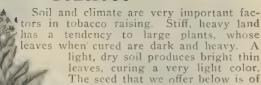
H 642—RUBY KING. Bushy, vigorous plants, producing oblong mammoth peppers of fine red color and mild flavored. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c, ½-lb. 35c, lb. \$1.20.

#### PUMPKIN



Cultivated in same manner as melons. May be planted a mongst corn three or four plants in a hill, leaving about ten feet in each direction for the vines to spread. Should not be planted near me!ons, as pumpkins will injure the quality of mel-

#### TOBACCO



the very best stock, grown espe-cially for us, by one of the best tobacco seed producers in the

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H 741—CONNECTICUT SEED LEAF. A very valuable tobacco, used extensively in cigar manu-facture. I kt. 3c, oz. 12c, ¼-lb. 40c, lb. \$1.45.

H742—HAVANA. The best of the American Havanas. Grows a heavy crop and matures very early. The tobacco grown from this seed on good tobacco land and cured carefully is equal if not superior to most of the imported leaf. Pkt. 3c, oz. 25c, ¼-lb. 80e, lb. \$2.80.

H 744-MISSOURI BROAD LEAF. A well known standard variety ous for its heavy yield. Pkt. 3c, oz. 12c, 4-lb. 40c, lb. \$1.45.

#### RADISH

Radishes are consumed in such large quantities as to be constantly in demand. The crop is so quick, being taken up about six weeks after sowing the seed, that much space may be saved by planting radishes on the same ground as some slower growing vegetable. Radishes may be sown between rows of beets, cabbage, cauliflower, etc., and taken up in plenty of time not to interfere with the second crop. All kinds of radishes do best on a light sandy loam. They are easily grown and a constant supply may always be kept on hand by sowing fresh seed every two weeks. Radishes may also be grown under glass in winter.

H 661—EARLY SCARLET GLOBE. A very desirable all scarlet perfectly round, quick growing radish. Has small neck and leaves and delicate top root. Flesh is crisp, tender and mild, making a splendid radish for forcing under glass, a big seller for the market or a dainty relish for the table. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 11c, lb. 35c.

H 663—EARLY SCARLET TURNIP.
This popular radish is of French origin but has been for some time the standard of excelence among the globe shaped all scarlet radishes. Is the market gardeners' maintay and is found in every garden. The seed we offer is very select and taken only from uniform and perfect plants. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 9c, lb. 26c.



H 664—EARLY SCARLET TURNIP WHITE TIP. A very handsome radish, the pure white tip of which is in pleasing contrast with the deep scarlet upper part. Very handsome on the table or in bunches. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 10c, lb. 28c.

H 667—EARLY WHITE TURNIP. white radish; crisp, tender and mild, easi son. Pkt. 3e, oz. 5c, ½-lb. 9e, lb. 26e, An excellent turnip shaped waxy H 669—FRENCH BREAK-FAST. One of the handsomest radishes known, half long with abrupt white tip which contrasts with the deep red of the upper part of the root. Skin is thin, flesh extremely pleasing in flavor and very crisp and tender. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 10c, lb. 28c.



H 672—CHARTIER. A splendid long radish. Is deep scarlet with white tip. It gains in popularity each season and deserves a trial. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, 1/4-lb. 9c, 1/4/24.

II 675—LONG SCARLET SHORT TOP. The standard of excellence for long all red radishes. Is found in all gardens and is grown extensively by the large truck gardeners. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, 1/4-lb. 9c, lb. 24c.

H 677-I.ONG WHITE LADYFINGER. A very slender and delicate summer radish, pure white in color, mild and brittle. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ½ -lb. 9c, lb. 26c.

French Breakfast

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#### Radish-Continued

H 671—LONG BRIGHT-EST SCARLET. A handsome long, slender, brittle root, scarlet above and clear white below. Regular in size and uniform in shape. This sort when bunched or on the table has no equal in appearance. The mild delicious flavor adds to its merit. Pkt. 3e, oz. 5e, ¼-lb. 9e, lb. 26c.

H 678—WHITE SCOUNTS

9c, lb. 26c.

H 678 — WHITE STRASBIRG. A very large, fine
summer radish. Very popular
in German sections, and the
market gardeners' favorite of
the white radishes. Pkt. 3c,
oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 9c, lb. 26c.

H 680—YELLOW SUMMER TURNIP, Smooth, bright
golden skin and best flavor,
Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb 11c, lh
35c.

H 681—POSE COLONY

H 681—ROSE COLORED CHINA. For winter; a very handsome half long round bright colored radish; keeps well. Pkt 3c, oz. 5c, \*/4-lb. 10c, lb. 30c.

H 682—ROUND BLACK SPANISH. Fine for winter, Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 9c, lb. 24c. Rose Colored China

H 683—LONG BLACK SPANISH. Fine for winter. Pkt. 3c, oz 5c, ¼-lb. 9c, lb. 24c.

H 684—CALIFORNIA WHITE MAMMOTH. A very large pure white, very popular winter variety. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 10c, lb. 28c.

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Can be easily grown in any garden. It should be sown early in the spring and cultivated in same manner as parsnips or carrots. Some of the crop may be left in the ground over winter



H 701—MAMMOTH SANDWICH ISLAND. The peculiar oys like flavor of this vegetable is very attractive. It may be belied or ste like parsnip or carrot, or made into delicious soup. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c, lb.30c, lb. \$1.00.



Early Yellow Crcokneck

# SQUASH

Long Brightest

Scarlet

Plant early summer squashes in hills about four feet apart. The larger sorts should have eight to ten feet space between the hills. Cultivate same as mel-

H 711—EARLY YEL-LOW C R O O K N E C K. Fruit about one foot long, bright golden warty shell, very delicious as a summer vegetable. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 13c, lb. 40c.

H 713 — EARLY WHITE BUSH SCALLOP. A beautiful, creamy white squash. Is excellent for the table while quite young. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 12c, lb. 35c.

H 714—EARLY YELLOW BUSH SCALLOP. Beautiful golden color and of pleasing flavor. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, 1/4-lb. 12c, lb. 35c.

II 717—HUBBARD.
The true dark green
Hubbard, a fine winter
keeper and can be
shipped without damage. This is a standard
sort and is the dependence of all who raise
a large crop of winter
squashes. Pkt. 3c, oz.
5c, ¼-lb. 15c, lb. 50c.

H 718—G O L D E N HUBBARD. Similar to the green. Hubbard in all respects except col-or, which is deep gold-en red. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 15c, lb. 50e.

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Chicago Warted Hubbard

H 716—CHICAGO WARTED HUBBARD. An excellent strain of Hubbard, being very dark green in color, heavily warted and extremely hard shelled. This squash is a most excellent shipper and will keep better than any other. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ½-lb. 15c, lb. 50c.

H 721—BOSTON MARROW. Unexcelled for pie making, a splendid squash for fall and early winter use, color is bright or orange. Shape oval and flesh is rich and sweet. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ½-lb. 13c, lb. 40c, H 722—ORANGE MARROW. Very smooth and handsome. A good seller. It is fine for home use. Earlier than the Beston variety. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ½-lb. 14c, lb. 45c.

### TOMATO

If early fruits are desired, the plants should be started in a hotbed and when well up transplanted to another hotbed leaving more room to form a bushy growth. When all danger of frost is over the plants may be set out in open ground, leaving about four feet space between each plant. If the plants are trained on supporting frames or trellises they will give much more satisfactory results and are more easily cared for.



H 750—THE PRESIDENT. The earliest large smooth tomato. After careful selection and improving we have obtained a marvelously fine tomato, a full week earlier than the Earliana, as handsome as the Beauty and as solid as the Stone. The fruit is not only remarkable for its earliness, but for its large size, perfect form, bright purple pink color, and delicious flavor. The fruit ripens right up to the stem and does not crack. Pkt. 3c, oz. 50c, ¼-lb. \$1.25, lb. \$4.00.

H 754—BEAUTY. The best and most extensively grown purple colored tomato in general use. The fruit is round, smooth and solid and is preduced in enormous quantities. Our stock for seed was very carefully selected and the seed we now offer is without any superior. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c, ¼-lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00.

Catawba, W. Va., Nov. 25, 1907.

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Dear Sirs: The President tomatoes, grown by me from seed purchased of you last spring, won for me a first prize of \$20.00 this fail. The President tomato is of a very fine quality, and from ten days to two weeks earlier than the Earliana, which is supposed to be the earliest tomato. All the seeds I have got from you are of an exceedingly good quality, and I can get them of you from 25 per cent to 40 per cent cheaper than I can get them elsewhere.

I am, very sincerely.

I am, very sincerely, Charles Frederick.

#### Tomato-Continued



It 751—SPARK'S
EALLANA. All growers of tomatoes are now familiar with the characteristics of this spiendid variety, with the exception of the President, it is the earliest tomato. It is a very profitable tomato to raise for market, as its beautiful scarlet color, smooth shape and solid meat make it a ready seller. Its extreme earliness places it first on the market, and thus it commands the highest price.

H 755-ACME. An early tomato of unexcelled qualifications: it grown extensively by all gardeners both for home and market. Color is a rich red and shape is always smooth; the temato is heavy and of fine quality and ripens "completely." Pkt. 3c, cz. 10c, 4-lb. 25c, lb. 85c.

H 757 — DWARF CHAMPION. One of the best dwarf or tree tomatoes. The plant is very short, bushy and strong, capable of bearing, without support, the entire weight of its fine crop of perfect purple colored fruit. The quality is excellent. Pkt. 3c, oz. 20c, ½, -ib. 75c, lb. \$2.70.



Dwarf Champion

M 778 — MATCH-LESS. A rich, red to-mato, large, very smooth and a heavy yielder, Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c, ½-lb. 25c, lb. 85c.

H 759 — TROPHY. Very dark scarlet, late mat uring variety, a heavy cropper that is desirable for canning, Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c, ½-lb. 25c, lb. 85c.

H 760—PARAGON. A deep red tomato, very productive and of finest flavor. Is excellent for cccking or canning, Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c, ½-lb. 25c, lb. 85c.

H 761—FAVORITE. Splendid solid red tomato, with excellent table qualities. It is a fine shipper and canner. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c, ½-lb. 25c, lb. 85c.

11 763 — DWARF
ARISTOCRAT. Similar in growth to the Dwarf Champlon, but the color of the fruit instead of being purple, is a deep glossy cardinal red. The plant is a very prollife beaver and of such close erect growth as to permit much crowding as to space. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c, ½-1b. 35c, ib. \$1.15.

14-1b. 35c, ib. \$1.15.

11 764 — PONDERROSA. A tomato of tremendous size, ripens early and the fiesh is so solid and free from seeds as to make a splendid silicer. Some specimens are inclined to be a little irregular in shape, hence it is better for the kitchen, than for market. Pkt. 3c, cz. 20c, ¼ ib. 60c. ib. \$2.25.



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#### TURNIP

Summer turnips should be planted as early in the spring as ground may be worked and every two weeks to the first of June for perfect succession. The large turnips and rutabagas for

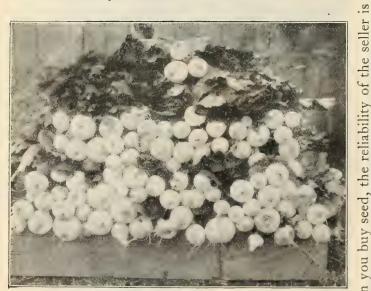
fall and winter use, should be planted in July or even later if the climate will permit. Winter turnips should be harvested before the severe frost injures them and stored in pits or cellars for winter and spring use. Tur-nips require a loamy soil free from fresh manure. Many think best results are obtained on freshly broken sod. While turnips are often sowed broadcast, best results are obtained by planting to about six inches apart.

H 801—EXTRA EARLY WHITE MILAN. Extraordinarily early in producing, with small, flat clear white roots that are sweet, tender and of very delicate, pleasing flavor. The tops of the growing plant are so small and upright that space may be economized without injury to crop. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 15c, lb. 40c.

H 802—EXTRA EARLY PURPLE TOP MILAN. Similar to the above, except top half of root is purple colored. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 15c, lb. 40c.



Early Purple Top Flat Strap Leaf



Note the uniformity of size and shape of our Purple Top Globe Turnips, when ready for market.

H S03—EARLY PURPLEAT A favorite for
table use and for the
early market. The
roots are flat, medium
sized, with pure white
flesh, Have dark red or
purple skin on upper
half. Leaves are small
and grow erect from
small neck. Flavor of
this turnip is delicate
and sweet, while texture is fine and flesh
solid, but tender. When
sown early in the spring
and then new seed
planted every two weeks
a fine supply of this delicate table turnip is always at hand. The small
turnips sold in bunches
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H 804 — EARLY WHITE FLAT STRAP LEAF 0.2 WHITE DUTCH. Similar to above, but root is clear white. Pkt. 3c, ¼-1b. 6c, lb. 20c, 10 lb. \$1.95.

H 805—WHITE EGG. Medium sized, egg-shaped, clear white, very sweet and tender, excellent for table use. Pkt. 3e, 4-lb. 6c, lb. 20c, 10 lb. \$1.95.

H \$06 — COW HORN. A very popular variety of long, carrot-shaped turnip, purre white, with slight shading of green at top of root. Grows half out of ground, and is easily harvested. Flesh is fine grained, rich and sweet. Pkt. 3c, ½-1b. 6c, lb. 20c, 10 lbs. \$1.95.

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H \$09—PURPLE TOP
WHITE GLOBE. A main crop
turnip of best qualities. Grows
quickly to maturity, considering its immense size. It's very
large, globe-shaped roots of
clear white below and rich red
purple above, are splendid for
table use or market and are
good keepers. Grown for market this yields a very profitable crop. If grown in drills,
should be thinned more than
other sorts to allow room for
its large growth. Pkt. 3c, 4b. 6c, lb. 20c, 10 lbs. \$1.95.

H \$10—AMBER GLOBE.

H \$10—AMBER GLOBE. Splendid for home or market. Is good and sweet, and keeps fairly well. Pkt. 3c, ¼-lb. 6c, lb. 20c, 10 lbs. \$1.9...

# RUTABAGA OR SWEDISH TURNIP

H S21—AMERICAN
PURPLE TOP YELLOW. This is the very
finest seed grown from
selected roots. Plant
has regular shaped
small top root and
small neck. The roots
grow very large and
have firm, fine grained,
sweet yellow flesh. Excellent for table use.
They are also grown
extensively for stock
feeding purposes. For
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are unexcelled, keeping
longer than any other
vegetable. Pkt. 3c, ¼lb. 6c, lb. 20c, 10 lbs.
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H S23—MONARCH.

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Very similar to the Purple Top Yellow, except is much larger, more tankard - shaped and yields a heavier crop. Quality is good. The Monarch Rutabaga or Swede is a splendid crop to be used for winter feed for cattle. The crop is enormous, the quality excellent; is easily harvested and keeps throughout the entire winter. Pkt. 3c, ¼-lb. 6c, lb. 20c, 10 lbs. \$1.95.



American Purple Top Yellow

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Fruly yours,
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H 3009—CHAMPION WHITE PEARL. This rather new corn, is one of the most popular cosmopolitan sorts, that is, it adapts itself to many different localities and growing conditions. It is a great favorite in the Corn Belt proper and is grown in large quantities all through the sections of the South and East where corn growing is a profitable industry. The Corn has a splendid large ear of the truest type of white dent and is a heavy yielder. The cob is small and white, the kernels large and deep. The heavy large sized ears are carried low on the strong, deeply rooted stalk and this enables the plant to withstand much rough weather Matures in 100 days. Price per bushel. 81.25

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H 3012—IOWA GOLD MINE. The Iowa Gold Mine is the pride of the corn planter all over the U.S. It is unsurpassed as a main crop Yellow Dent corn. Stalk grows to a height of about seven or eight feet, and sets the ears about three and one-half feet to four feet from the ground, just the right height for easy picking. One peculiarity which will be noticed in going over the fields is that there are no barren stalks, every one has an ear, many have two and some have even three. The ears measure in length from eight to ten inches. Many weighing over a pound areoften found. The ears are very uniform in size and shape with from sixteen to twenty straight rows of rich yellow kernels, roughly dented on the outside and set on a remarkably small red cob. It matures in 95 days and dries out very quickly, thus producing the earliest large corn on the market. It is adapted to a wider range of climate and greater variety of soil than any corn yet introduced. It is grown prolitably in all parts of the country from Massachusetts to California and from Minnesota to Florida. Practical farmers are unanimous in the praise of this grandjoorn. Price per bushel \$1.55.



H 3014—PRIDE OF THE NORTH. This variety was introduced about twenty years ago.

Now every corn planter is perfectly familiar with its characteristics. It is known as the earliest of all true dent corns and consequently can be grown much farther north. The ears are seven to eight inches long with small cob and kernel. Seventy pounds of ear corn frequently shell to over sixty pounds. The color is bright crange and very uniform. This variety is such an enormous yielder that results are as satisfactory when growing it as a grain crop as if the larger and later types of corn were used. Matures in \$5 days from planting time. Price per bushel \$1.55.



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H 3018—IOWA SILVER MINE. The Iowa Silver Mine is the most popular white dent grown in the corn belt, and is also regarded as one of the best main crop white corn grown anywhere in this country. The average length of the ear is from 7½ to 9 inches and is very thick and heavy. The deep white kernels being densely set on the small cob. Tho kernels grow out well over the tip and butt. Corn is commonly advertised as a ninety day corn but usually requires 100 days from planting to fully mature. The cob being unusually small, however, it dries out rapidly, and is ready for sale earlier than any other dent of equal size and quality. This corn is a prize winner and we heartly recommend it for your main crop. Price per bushel, \$1.55.



H 3020—REID'S VELLOW DENT. The Reid's Dent Corn is one of the handsomest and largest yellow corns grown. The ears are long and top but very deep and so closely set on the cob that there is no wasto space between the tops. This is a prize winner and is planted by many particular corn growers especially in Illinois and Indiana. Matures in 100 days from day of planting. Price per bushel, \$1.50.

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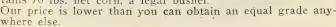
This popular corn is grown by all progressive farmers throughout the Central and Southern Corn Belt, for which region it is admirably adapted. It requires from 110 to 120 days of corn growing weather. The car is large, slightly tapering, about eight inches in circumference and ten in length. The kernels are firm and upright on the cob, white in color, broad and even across the top, the edge is slightly rough. The kernels are in sixteen to twenty-four rows and grow out well over the butt and tip. The cob is white and medium in size. Our stock of Boone County White seed corn, both ear and shelled, is from pedigreed stock, all carefully selected and grown in a location that makes it well suited for growing in Central and Southern Ilinois. Indiana, Missouri, Southern Iowa, Nebraska, and all states farther South. Per bushel, \$1.65.

# Corn

#### Selected Ears.

There is a large demand for seed corn on the ear.

Progressive corn planters, Agricultural Stations and Agricultural Colleges advocate its purchase in this condition. You are then sure of your type of corn, in ear, kernel and cob. It is more expense to handle and ship ear corn so we charge you a premium price. We pack the selected ears in a good covered corn basket for which we make no charge. Each basket contains 70 lbs. net corn, a legal bushel.



By presenting you with the opportunity to buy your favorite variety on the ear at a low price with the privilege of returning and your money back if you do not feel satisfied with its appearance, we believe we have solved the hardest part of the seed corn problem for you. The only varieties we handle in this manner are the five popular sorts listed below, full descriptions of which are given on page 21.



H	3062-Iowa Gold Mine
H	3068-Iowa Silver Mine
H	3066—Learning
H	3076—Boone County White 2.05 Per Bushel Basket

#### Ensilage Corn

H 3021—WHITE COB ENSILAGE. Large white corn on a pure white cob. This variety is very much in demand for growing for fodder purposes and is particularly a good crop on a dairy farm as it is both nutritious and eagerly eaten by cattle. It is either sown broadcast or in drills. Better results however are obtained by planting in drills. Price per bushel, \$1.15.

H 3022—RED COB ENSILAGE. The counterpart of the above except cob is red. It is considered by many also to be a heavier cropper. Price, per bushel, \$1.15.

H 3023—SWEET CORN FOR FODDER. Too much cannot be said in praise of the use of Sweet Corn for green or dry fodder. Being sweet and palatable cattle are very fond of it and it is highly nutritious and a great milk producer. It may be planted and cultivated as other corn crosown thickly in drills or even sown broadcast. In drills an acre requires a half bushel of seed. Price per bushel, \$1.75.



Boone County White

# Pop Corn

H 3091—WHITE RICE. This is the popular sort of highest value commercially and most satisfactory for home use. The ears are medium large and well set with hard, transparent, sharp-pointed kernels. Per 100 lbs. \$3.75, per 10 lbs. 45c, per lb. 8c.

# Seed Barley

H3111—SUCCESS BARLEY. This barley will mature in sixty days from date of sowing under ordinary conditions. It is a beardless barley and on account of its \_treme earliness is very desirable, especially when old grain is scarce and no other feed available. It grows to about 2½ feet high, has hulls like other malting barleys, will not get easily discolored, and a good yielder, 50 to 75 bushels per acre. Per bushel, \$1.40.

H 3112—WHITE HULLESS. This variety of Barley has a grain very similar to wheat, threshes out very clean with no hull. The grain is bright and plump and is excellent feed especially for hogs. Per bushel, \$1.65.

H 3113—MANSHURY. A standard variety of six rowed barley. Is superior in many ways to the common grain. The yield is remarkably heavy when grown on good soil. It prefers a soil lighter than is necessary for wheat. The straw is strong and straight and the heads long and heavy, threshing out magnificently. The grain is superior and will always bring the highest price. Per bushel, \$1.40.

# Seed Buckwheat

H 3122—JAPANESE. A much superior and earlier buckwheat than the ordinary. The grain is larger and more distinctly three-cornered and is of a deep brown color. The growth is more luxuriant and the crop heavier and much earlier. Per 100 lbs. \$3.00.

H 3123—SILVER HULL. A great improvement on the old common sort. The grain is much esteemed for flour manufacture. The field has a fine growth of straw, the bloom is rich and the grain is small, plump and silvery gray in color. The yield is almost twice as heavy as the old sort. Per 100 lbs. \$3.00.



# H3147—SWEDISH SELECT WHITE OATS. This very valuable variety of Oats which is imported from Sweden has been grown extensively all through the Northwestern states. From its Northern origin and habits it is very early, has a strong stalk, is hardy and withstands rough weather splendidly. The average weight per bushel is higher than all other oats and this in addition to its excellent growing qualities and the white plump grain has made it the favorite grain of the Northwest. Per bushel 90c. SPELTZ OR EMMER

SEED OATS

H 3141—LINCOLN. A rather new oat, but has been grown with such great success that it is now in great demand. Any farmer can depend on it for a quick, sure

and heavy crop. Grain is large and fat, with exceedingly thin hull. Straw is straight and stiff. Per bushel 90c.

H 3161—A valuable grain of Russian origin resembling wheat but far more hardy and prolific. It is a splendid addition to the list of grains. Stock of all kinds thrive on it. The foliage makes splendid hay, and it will grow on land too poor to raise wheat. It is free from rust and does not seem to be the least affected by drought. Any farmer having some worn out wheat land should try a crop of Emmer, or Speltz, as it is sometimes called. Per 100 lbs. \$2.40.

# Seed Wheat

Lincoln Oats

H 3151—SELECT BLUE STEM. We have a splendid stock of strictly thoroughbred improved blue stem seed wheat. This wheat is a main crop and very dependable for results in every section where wheat is grown. The heads are long, well filled and heavy, and the grain is hard and rich in nutrition. The plant has a vigorous growth and stools freely. Per bushel \$1.55.

H 3152—SASKATCHEWAN FIFE. A splendid wheat noted for its power of resisting unfavorable weather conditions, smut and other diseases. It is very early and its large yield of hard, clear grains, makes it a most valuable crop. Per bushel \$1.55.

#### SPRING RYE

H 3171—SPRING RVE. The chief value of spring rye is the fact that it may be sown for a catch crop where other grain has falled. The straw is short and stiff, while the abundant yield of grain is equal in value to rye that has been wintered over. Per bushel \$1.25.



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# Grass Seeds

Prices Subject to Change Without Notice.

All grass seeds listed on this page are the very best. The seed where possible has been grown in this country and thoroughly recleaned to take out light seed and dangerous weeds We put out no seed to our trade that has not been well sampled and carefully inspected.

Our "Lakeside Brand" is our highest grade seed, on which every care has been expended that will make the seed more valuable to the user. At the same time the price is generally lower than found elsewhere. Our second grade of Red Top and Timothy is good recleaned seed and will save you money and at the same time give very satisfying results.

H 4002—CREEPING BENT. (Agrestis Stolonifera.) A small very hardy grass of creeping habit. Is particularly valuable for lawns or grounds that receive much usage, as it is not damaged by tramping. Lb. 21c, 10 lbs. \$1.05, 100 lbs. \$17.00.

H-4003—RED TOP. LAKESIDE BRAND. (Agrostis vulgarls.) An extremely valuable grass for hay or pasturage. It is admirably suited for low-lying moist lands, too wet for other good hay producing grasses. When once established the growth is very permanent and besides its splendid hay crop makes a most valuable sweet green pasture that can be fed very close without injury. There are many grades of this seed, the light weight chaffy seed is known by such names as chaff. extra clean, unhulled, etc. We handle only one grade of Red Top and that is the fancy solid seed, a measured bushel of which weighs about 36 lbs. 10 lbs. is sufficient to sow an acre. Lb. 12c, 10 lbs. \$1.15, 100 lbs. H 4003-RED TOP. LAKESIDE BRAND. (Agrostis vulgaris.)

-RED TOP. (In Chaff) good extra clesults. Sold only per 100 lbs. Price, \$5.50. H 40035-

H 4004—TALL MEADOW OAT GRASS. (Avena elatior.) A popular grass for hay crop or pasture, particularly in the Southern States where it is much used for winter pasture. It is a very hardy grass and withstands without damage extremes of heat, cold or prolonged dry weather. Sow 40 lbs. to the acre. Lb. 20c, 10 lbs. \$1.70, 100 lbs.

H-4005—BROMUS INERMIS. (Awnless or smooth brome grass A forage grass of great value that will grow luxuriantly on the dry standy, arid western plains where no other grass will root or survive Leaves a rich pasture all season following a heavy hay crop. W advise that Brome should not be sown for a temporary meadow, as it is almost impossible to eradicate, being most persistent and thriving with out rainfall. For its special purpose of rendering the barren plain pasturable it has no equal. It takes 35 to 40 lbs. of seed to the acre Lb. 13c, 10 lbs. \$1.25, 100 lbs. \$10.00.

H 4006—CRESTED DOGSTAIL (Cynosurus cristatus.) This grass makes a fine addition to any mixture for permanent pastures or lawns. It is of close compact growth and thrives under trees where the shade hinders growth. It is well adapted to moist rich land but is of such hardy growth and has such deep root that it withstands drought and is valuable on hilly situations. Lb. 28c, 10 lbs. \$2.45, 100 lbs. \$22.50.

H 4007—MEADOW FOXTAIL. (Alopecurus pratensis.) Splendid in pasture mixtures. Suited to rich, moist land, is very early growth and withstands intense summer heat without burning. Sow 2 bs. to the acre in mixture with other grass seed. Lb. 28c, 10 bs. \$2.45, 100 lbs. \$22.50.

H 4009—ORCHARD GRASS. (Dactylis glomerata.) A very hardy grass that is grown extensively in all sections of the country. It is very productive and will yield large heavy crops of hay and also luxuriant pasture under adverse conditions. If grown in conjunction with clover the quality of hay is much improved. As this grass grows well in comparatively shaded places it makes an excellent crop for orchards or wooded meadows. If used alone sow 45 to 50 lbs. to the acre. l.b. 19c, 10 lbs. \$1.85, 100 lbs. \$15.00.

H-4010—BERMUDA GRASS. (Cynodon dactylon.) The great lat and pasture grass of the South. It is a persistent grower and w spread, forming thick mat like turf on the poorest sandlest soil. It very valuable when used as a binding against drifting sand, steep et bankments or places exposed to wash during heavy rain. It thrives the warmest climate, but does not succeed north of Virginia, beliefled by winter frosts. Lb. 48c, 10 lbs. \$4.75, 100 lbs. \$46.00.

H 4011—HARD FESCIE. (Festuca durluscula.) A valuable pasture grass for light, highly situated poor soils: Rather dwarf in growth and floats freely; is quite hardy withstanding heat, cold or drought. Sow 30 lbs. per acre. Lb. 12c, 10 lbs. 95c, 100 lbs. \$8.75.

H 4012—TALL FESCUE. (Festuca elatior.) A splendid hay or pasture grass of European origin but perfectly adapted to all sections of this country. It prefers strong clay soil in moist situations and makes a permanent pasture of finest nutritive qualities. On rich moist land it yields a heavy crop of finest hay. Sow 40 lbs. to the acre. Lb. 28c. 10 lbs. \$2.75, 100 lbs. \$25.00.

H 4013—SHEEP'S FESCUE. (Festuca ovina.) A native grass adapted to loose, gravelly upland soils. It is very hardy and is not hurt by extremes of heat, cold or drought. The sweet dwarf growth renders it particularly fine pasture for sheep. It is also splendld in mixture with other grass for upland meadows. If used alone, sow 35 lbs to the acre. Lb. 14c, 10 lbs. \$1.20, 100 lbs. \$9.00.

H 4014—MEADOW FESCIE OR ENGLISH BLUE GRASS. (Festuca pratensis.) Succeeding best on low lying, light rich soil. It is used extensively for making meadows for raising hay or green forage. It prefers and does better on cool, moist soil and should not be attempted on dry uplands or any land exposed to intense heat. Sow 35 lbs. to the acre. Lb. 13c, 10 lbs. \$1.15, 100 lbs. \$8.50.

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H 4015—PERENNIAL RYE GRASS. (Lolium perenne.) Wh called a perennial this grass is best for temporary meadows or qui effect in lawns. It dies out in three or four years. A cool, mo climate like Great Britain suits it best but it adapts easily to any s and is grown extensively in this country. The bay crop it produces especially fine, particularly if grown in conjunction with clover. makes a good green showing as soon as five weeks from time of sowir Used alone sow 45 lbs per acre. Lb. 9c, 10 lbs. 75c, 100 lbs. \$6.25.

H 4016—JOHNSON GRASS. (Sorghum Halapense). Grown a great deal in the Southern states where it grows rankly and luxuriantly on even the poorest soil. Its great value ites in the fact that protracted drought does not injure it. Should be cut just as bloom commences to show, as the hay is better at this time. If allowed to seed it is liable to spread to other fields and it is very hard to eradicate. Several crops may be taken in close succession. Sow 25 lbs. to the acre. Lb 11c, 10 lbs. 95c, 100 lbs. \$8.50.

Grass Seeds—Continued

H 4024—ITALIAN RYE GRASS. (Lolium Italicum.) A mos uable grass for temporary meadows as it is practically an annual makes a grand showing through the summer and keeps green al iter. Sow 50 lbs. to the acre. Lb. Sc, 10 lbs. 75c, 100 lbs. \$6.00.

If 4017—TIMOTHY. LAKESIDE BRAND. (Phleum pratense). The most satisfactory and extensively grown meadow grass in America. Itsed alone it makes a splendid crop of hay, and used in conjunction with red clover it is unequaled. If sown alone, not less than 20 lbs. of seed per acre should be used. There are many different grades of timothy seed affered on the market, but all experienced farmers know that it is true economy to use only the higher grades. We handle but one "choice" grade, which we can offer at the lowest price. Lb. 10c, 10 lbs. 75c, 100 lbs. \$5.50. Write for prices. (Phleum pratense)

H 40175—TIMOTHY, Good recleaned bright seed. Sold only by bb, bag. Price, \$4.50.

II 4018—WOOD MEADOW GRASS. (Poa memoralis.) A fine leaved, deck showing, hardy, permanent grass that is valuable for pastures and lawns that are subject to shade. The roots are of spreading habit and form a fine, firm turf. Sow 30 lbs per acre. Lb. 30c, 10 lbs. \$2.85, 100 lbs. \$27.00.

H 4019—KENTUCKY BLUE GRASS. (Poa pratensis.) Some times called June grass. A most productive and nutrious short pasture grass. It is very slow to get properly established, and makes a better showing with each succeeding year. It is very hardy and is perennial. Grows on almost any soil. It is also a popular lawn grass, but on account of its slowness in starting it should be mixed with quicker grasses which keep the lawn green until the Kentucky blue grass eventually crowds all others out. There is a great range of price on this seed, we do not recommend some of the light chaffy seed for use and do not carry it in stock. The stock we carry is FANCY SOLID SEED, as free from foreign seeds as we have been able to obtain after most careful comparison and testing of many samples. For pasture, sow 25 lbs. to the acre. For lawn not less than 65 lbs. should be used. Lb. 22c, 10 lbs. \$2.00, 100 lbs \$18.00.

H 4020—CANADA BLUE GRASS, (Poa compressa.) A very hardy perennial pasture grass that is valuable, especially for pasturage for milch cattle, as it greatly improves the quality of the milk and butter of cows feeding upon it. Its growth is similar to Kentucky blue grass but has flatter stalks, more bunchy and wiry growth and decidedly bluer appearance. It succeeds on almost any soil and withstands severest weather conditions. Sow 35 lbs. to the acre. Lb. 16c, 10 lbs. \$1.40, 100 lbs. \$12.00.

H 4021—ROUGH STALK MEADOW GRASS. (Poa trivialis.) A e spreading dwarf grass valuable for most soil and shady locations a good addition where such a grass is required for permanent passes or lawns. Scw 20 lbs. to the acre. Lb. 30c, 10 lbs. \$2.85, 100 lbs. \$27.00.



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H 4023—"EMERALD VELVET." Our Emerald velvet lawn grass mixture, as its name indicates, is intended to produce a rich emerald green lawn as soft as velvet. By its use with proper preparation of soil and the care and culture we direct, your front yard or any grass plat about the place may be made a beauty spot. We have balanced this Emerald Velvet mixture in the most approved manner so as to make a quick showing with a few early grasses, and the remainder is hardy, fine leaved grasses of close, erect growth, with just enough white clover to strengthen the color and add to the richness and beauty of the lawn.

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Lawn, grass seed should be sown very early in the spring or in the fall, and if on perfectly new ground not less than 80 lbs. of seed to the acre is required. About half that quantity will be sufficient if there is already a fair growth of grass on the lawn. Price, per single lb., 14c, 10 lbs for \$1.35, 100 lbs for \$13.00.

H 4025—GRASS SEED FOR GOLF LINKS. Our mixture of grass seed especially adapted for renewing or seeding down golf links, is perfect for such use. The mixture contains many valuable and hardy grasses that make a short, springy turf, which is green throughout the season. Grasses that are not affected by wear and usage have been selected. This same mixture answers admirably for any grounds such as are used for tennis, croquet, or any outdoor games that need a fine, velvety, lasting turf, impervious to wear. An acre of new ground requires 80 lbs. of seed, or 1 lb for each 500 square feet. Less quantity may be used for renewing an old green. Lb. 19c, 10 lbs. \$1.85, 100 lbs. \$1.90. tity may be used 100 lbs. \$18.00.

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# Pasture and Meadow Mixtures

We give you here the most helpful suggestions that solve the meadow and pasture problems for every condition of soil. No matter whether your land lies low and wet, or high and dry, or is rich and fertile, the special mixtures we have prepared for each will be found the very best for you to use to insure a rich growth. We have balanced these mixtures. We have taken the pains and trouble to combine nine or ten different grasses in the proportions that experience has proved to be best, to make a better yield, sweeter hay and more permanent and lasting growth. These mixtures are much more satisfactory than where only two or three kinds of seed are used.

We use in each mixture below only the seed of each grass that is of the best grade and tested for germination.

They come to you already mixed, ready to sow. The minimum order of each of these mixtures is 20 lbs., enough for one acre. Any larger quantity will be supplied at the 40-lb. rate. No charge for bags.

#### Meadow Mixtures

H 6011-Richland Mixture. For rich, loamy soil on good meadow land. For one acre, 20 lbs.

4 lbs. Red Top 5 " Perennial Rye Grass 18 " Timothy 2 " Medium Red Clover 1 " Alsike Clover

2 lbs. Tall Meadow Oat Grass 3 " Orchard Grass 2 " Hard Fescue 2 " Sheeps Fescue 1 " Meadow Foxtail

40-lb. bag, **\$3.80** 20-lb. bag, **\$1.95** 

H 6012-Highland Mixture. For upland meadows which are apt to be somewhat dry. For one acre, 20 lbs.

3 lbs. Red Top 15 "Timothy 2" Medium Red Clover 5" Tall Meadow Oat Grass 5" Orchard Grass

2 lbs. Hard Fescue

" Sheeps Fescue
" White Clover
" R'gh St'lk'd Meadow Grass
" Crested Dogstail

40-lb. bag, **\$3.85** 20-lb. bag, **\$2.00** 

H 6013-Lowland Mixture. For moist low-lying land. For one acre, 20 lbs.

6 lbs. Red Top 0 " Timothy 1 " Medium Red Clover 2 " Tall Meadow Oat Grass

3 lbs. Meadow Fescue
1 " Fall Fescue
3 " Creeping Bent
7 " Perennial Rye Grass
1 " Alsike Clover

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#### Pasture Mixtures

H 6021-Rich Pasture Mixture for good, permanent pasture on good land. For one acre, 20 lbs.

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lbs. Kentucky Blue Grass 3 lbs. Tall Meadow Oat Grass

"Red Top 1 "Meadow Foxtail
"Orchard Grass 7 "Timothy
"Sheeps Fescue 1 "Medium Red Clover
4 Hard Fescue 2 "White Clover
6 lbs. Perennial Rye Grass

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H 6022-High Pasture Mixture. For upland, dry land, permanent pasture. For one acre, 20 lbs.

5 lbs. Creeping Bent 5 " Tall Meadow Oat Grass 5 " Orchard Grass 2 " Hard Fescue

6 lbs. Sheep Fescue 8 "Timothy 5 "Perennial Rye Grass 2 "Red Clover

2 lbs. White Clover 40-lb. bag, **\$3.90** 20-lb. bag, **\$2.00** 

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2 lbs. Meadow Foxtail
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1 " R'gh St'lk'd Meadow Grass
8 " Kentucky Blue Grass
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Alsike

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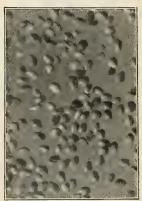
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H 4056—CRIMSON CLOVER. (Trifolium incarnatum.) A good hay
producing clover, a native of southern Europe. It is used with good results by farmers in the southern states for plowing under to enrich the
land. Sow 20 lbs. to the acre. Lb. 12c, 10 lbs. \$1.15, 100 lbs. \$7.50.

# Red Clover

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Our Regular Clover Seed

H 4057—"LAKESIDE BRAND," MEDIUM RED CLOVER (Trifolium Pratense). The most valuable clover in general use for hay, pasture, soiling or plowing under, to enrich the land. "Lakeside" is our fanciest grade of seed. Lb. 20c, 10 lbs. \$1.95, 100 lbs. \$18.00.

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H 4059—WHITE CLOVER. (Trifolium repens.) A small, creeping' white-flowered clover of compact growth, very hardy and perennial. As a pasture it is perfect, rendering the closest feeding and most nutrition. It is more desirable as a bottom grass in pasture or lawn mixtures than when used alone. 6 lbs. usually allowed for an acre. Lb. 18c, 10 lbs. \$1.75, 100 lbs. \$17.00.

# What Nitro Culture Is.

Nitro culture is a preparation of bacteria for innoculating seed or soil to render the highly valuable fertilizer Nitroing seed or soil to render the highly valuable fertilizer Nitrogen available. This may be used only on leguminous crops such as Beans, Peas, Clover, Alfalfa, etc. We do not sell in noculated seed but can supply fresh cultures to be used on any of the seeds named below. If interested in this subject write for "Nitro Culture Booklet." It is mailed free to any address upon request.



OTHER CLOVERS should accomplish about the same results as Red Clover.

COW-PEAS, WHIPPOORWILL, BLACK EYE and other like crops will add in round figures, if turned under, 100 lbs. of nitrogen to the acre and considerable humus, which is of great value.

SOY-BEANS or VELVET-BEANS if properly innoculated and turned under will add from 125 to 200 lbs. of nitrogen to the acre, in addition to a plentiful supply of humus.

CANADA FIELD-PEAS will add from 60 to 80 lbs. of nitrogen to

SAND VETCH. HAIRY VETCH, etc., will, when turned under, enrich the soil to the extent of 75 to 80 lbs. of nitrogen to the acre.

GARDEN PEAS, GARDEN BEANS, and SWEET PEAS are also recommended as excellent soil renovators.

Nitrogen is the most expensive part of fertilizers, and every farmer can procure his own from the air by means of the Bacteria almost without cost. This is the cheapest known method which nature has provided for the enrichment of poor soils.

The use of Nitro-Culture means that you establish a nitrogen manufacturing plant on your farm, and supply your own fertilizer.

When ordering, state what particular crop you desire to innoculate. Crops mentioned on the same line, require the same bacteria.

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  Alfalfa or Lucerne.

  Red. Yellow or Mammoth Clover.

  Alsike or White Clover.

  Crimson Clover.

  Burr Clover.

  Cow, Clay, Whippoorwill, Black Eye Peas.

  Garden Beans, Wax, String, Lima, Pea or Kidney.
- Soy Beans Velvet Beans. Vetch.
- 12. Peanuts.
  13. Field Peas.
  14. Sweet Peas.

NITRO-CULTURE cannot be furnished for all crops, like corn, wheat, potatoes, cotton, etc., but only those which are mentioned on the above list. Innoculated clover may be planted with oat or other crops, and we have reason to believe that they will be benefited.

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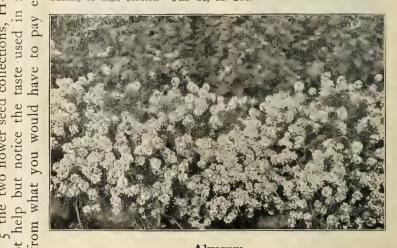
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#### Candytuft



The candytuft is one of the best flowers for edging, solid beds, or cutting. The seed may be sown in open ground in April, again in May and in June, thus having a mass of fine blooms at hand up to November. Plants show best results on rich soil and with frequent watering.

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# Carnation Margaret

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Highly ornamental plants, producing crested heads of flowers, somewhat resembling a cock's comb. There are many colors and shapes, but the scarlet and crimson are the most brilliant and rich. To produce fine combs, the soil cannot be too rich, and the plants should be forwarded in hot bed, though showy plants may be raised from seed planted in the open ground in May. The oftener they are transplanted or shifted, the larger and more beautiful they grow. Should be three feet apart. Tender annual.

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#### Cosmos



Giant White Cosmos

The beautiful autumn flowering annual is a great favorite, especially in southern gardens. The plants are four feet high, with dainty branching growth and feathery, dark green foliage. If seed is planted in the house in early spring and transplanted in warm weather to open ground, blooms can be obtained as early as the middle of July.
Our seed is of the choice, large, flowering sorts.

H 1521—GIANT WHITE. Pkt. 3e, oz. 20c.

H 1522—GIANT RED. Pkt. 3c, oz. 25e.

H 1523—GIANT MIXED, Pkt. 3c, oz



#### Double Daisy (Bellis Perennis)

This favorite spring flowering perennial produces charming effects as border or in beds with pansies, forget-me-nots, or such dwarf flowers.

If sown in the spring the plants bloom in the fall the first season, but best results are had by sowing in the fall in cold frame and transplanting to open ground the following spring. Height, five inches.

H 1541-DOUBLE WHITE. Pkt. 6c, 1/4-oz. 40c, oz. \$1.55. H 1542-DOUBLE MIXED COLORS. Pkt. 6c, %-oz. 30c, cz. \$1.15.

#### Shasta Daisy

H 1545-Fluted, quilled, curled, fringed, laciniated, semidouble, pure white and lemon yellow, select varieties. The very cream of the whole Shasta Daisy collection mixture includes new types offered for the first time.

The seed we offer is from the best plants only, from Mr. Burbank's own stock seed. Shasta Daisies can be grown out of doors by everybody where it is not cold enough to kill oak trees. They are perennial, blooming better and more abundantly each season. They can be multiplied rapidly by simple division and grown in any soil. They bloom for several months. Pkt. 6c, 1/4 oz. 35c, oz. \$1.35.

#### Delphinum (Larkspur)

H 1565—MIXED ANNUAL. Mixed colors of the best Larkspurs which grow up quickly from seed and bloom early in the first season. Pkt. 3c, oz. 20c.

H 1566—MIXED PERENNIAL. All the best perennial sorts and colors are included in this mixture. Sown in midsummer, in the open ground where they are to remain, the plant will commence blooming the following June. The long showy spikes of many colored flowers are very brilliant and attractive. Pkt. 6c, oz. \$1.10.

#### Dianthus (Pink)



These splendid biennial plants are commonly called pinks, and are very popular in all gardens. Our mixture contains all the new improved sorts, both single and double, with large blossoms and very brilliant and variegated colors. Although the plants are biennial if planted in spring in open ground, they bloom as heavily and freely the first year as they the second. Height, one foot.

The Dianthus is hardly distin-guishable from the Carnation and is much more easy to raise.

Dianthus Chinensis

II 1571—CHINENIS. (CHINESE OR INDIAN PINK.) COLORS. Splendid early blooming handsome flowers, many br and fanciful shapes and markings are contained in the mixture. oz. 20c. bright colors re. Pkt. 3c,

H 1572—HEDEWIGH (JAPANESE PINK) MIXED COLORS. These Japanese Pinks are larger and more handsome and brilliant than the Chinese but do not come into bloom quite so early in the season. Pkt. 3c, oz. 20c.

H 1573—IMPERIALIS (IMPERIAL, PINK) MIXED COLORS. effowers are large, handsome and very brilliant. Pkt. 3c, oz. 20c.

#### Dolichos (Hyacinth Bean)

II 1581—MIXED. Colors are blue and white. This rapid growing vine quickly attains a height of 10 feet, is very showy, and the flowers appear in abundant clusters. The blooms come freely from July to September. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c.

#### Eschscholtzia (California Poppy)

This is one of the best hardy annuals and has many good qualities for a showy border. The foliage is silver and delicate while the flowers are large and profuse in all colors, bright shades of yellow predominating. Planted in spring in open ground blooms are continuous from June until frost

H 1604-FINEST MIXED. Dcuble and single sorts and all colors in fine mixture. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c.

#### Four O'Clock (Mirabilis, Marvel of Peru)

These half hardy perennials bloom the first year from seed, are handsome and free flowering. Blossoms are variegated colors and sweet scented, opening in the afternoon. Plants remain in bloom from July to October.

H 1611—MIXED HYBRIDS. Many colors mixed. Height 2 feet.

Pkt. 3c, 0z. 10c.

H 1612—DWARF MIXED. (TOM TEUME.) Height 1 foot. Pkt
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#### Fox Glove (Digitalis)

H 1621—FINEST MIXED. The fox glove is a hardy blennial, and for best results should be sown in spring in ground where they are to remain over winter. The plants bloom early the following summer and keep in blossom until September. Height of plant is 3 feet and the brilliant bell-shaped flowers are borne in long spikes. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c.

#### Forget-Me-Not (Myosotis)

These dwarf half hardy perennials bear a profusion of the beautiful little star-shaped flowers so well known. Blooms may be had the first year but best results are obtained by planting in July or August for the following year. A partially shady spot, rich and moist, is best for Forget-Me-Not

H 1632-BLUE, Pkt. 3c. oz. 2"c.

#### Freesia

H 1641—REFRACTA ALBA FREESIA. The Freesia has peculiarly backward bent flowers, which
are borne in clusters on
fine stems for cutting. The
trumpet shaped white flowers are beautiful and delightfully fragrant. The
bulbs force easily and will
come into bloom in midwinter when sown in the
house. Care should be
taken that the plants are
neither placed where the
air is too hot or watered
too freely until the foliage
is well developed. They appear to best advantage
when four or five bulbs are
set in light rich soil in a
6-inch pot, kept in a warm,
moist, dark place until well
rooted when it should be
brought to the light. Pkt.
3e, oz. 10c.



Freesia Refracta Alba.

#### Geranium

\* H 1655—MIXED VARIETIES. Seeds from many distinct sorts and colors of this widely popular house plant which is easily grown from seed. Plants may be started either in the open ground or in pots in the house. Pkt. 3c, oz. 30c.

#### Godetia

H 1671—FINEST MIXED. The flowers in this mixture are large and mallowlike, containing all shades of red from pure white to deep crimson. The plant is a hardy annual of rapid growth and blooms profusely from July to October. Flowers are splendid for cutting. Height 1 foct. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c.

# Gomphrena (Globe Amaranth)

H 1675—MIXED COLORS. These showy flowers are brilliant globe-shaped and EVERLASTING, useful for decorating. Plants are hardy annual, 1 foot high; splendid for bedding, blooming from July to October. Pkt.3c, oz. 10c.

#### Gourd

Ornamental gourds grow rapidly and luxuriantly and are very handsome when in fruit. They are splendid for planting about unsightly objects such as old fences which they cover completely in a short time.

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H 1681—HERCULES CLUB. Fruit narrow and white, sometimes over 4 feet long. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c.

1682—DIPPER. Globe-shaped with long slender neck, which may be made into a very odd-locking dipper, as when dry the shell is quite thin and hard. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c.

H 1683—DISHCLOTH. This is a very ornamental climber with large shewy yellow flowers. The fruit contains a lace-like tissue which when dried forms a sort of thick spongelike cloth. The natives of Japan and China, where this gourd is grown extensively, use it as a lining for sandals and as a sponge for bathing. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c.

H 1684—MIXED ORNAMENTAL. All odd and beautiful sorts in splendid assortment present a great variety of shapes, size and color. Pkt 3c, oz. 10c.

#### Gypsophila (Angel's Breath)

These light and graceful plants, 11/2 feet high, are easily cultivated in any soil. Its free blooming plants are hand-some for rockwork or shrubbery and are most useful for cutting bouquets. Hardy annuals. H 1695-WHITE. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c.

#### Helichrysum (Everlasting Flower)

H 1711—DOUBLE MIXED. These everlasting flowers are very popular for winter decorations, the flowers are large and brightly colored. A splendid way to preserve everlasting flowers is to cut them while young and hang up in a cool place, heads downward. Hardy annual, mid-summer blcoming, height 2 feet. Pkt. 3c, oz. 25c.

#### Heliotrope

H 1721—FINEST MIXED. The Heliotrope is a green house perenthat can be grown from seed in the house. The flowers are extremely pleasingly fragrant and have delightful masses of small blossoms, rs are white, lavender and purple. Pkt. 3c, oz. 60c.

#### Hibiscus

H 1731—MIXED. This free growing annual is very showy, and its great, rich flowers of yellow and brown are very handsome. Height 2 feet. Pkt. 3c, oz. 20c.



Double-White Hollyhock.

# Hollyhock

The Hollyhock is most strikingly beautiful plant, particularly so when massed or grown in centre of more dwarf flowers or as a foreground for fence, wall or hedge. The improved seed that we handle grows fine double flowers much larger, finer and embracing more colors than any other. While the plants are perennial. we recommend fresh seed to be sown every year, as after the plant is two years old it begins to deteriorate into the old-fashioned single flower again. The seed should be sown not later than June in order to have flowers the following year.

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H 1741—DOUBLE SCARLET. Pkt. 3c, oz. 90c.

H 1742—DOUBLE WHITE.
Pkt. 3c, oz. 65c.

H 1743—MIXED A L L EGhENY. This is an extra
choice mixture of large flowering, very double Hollyhocks.
Every conceivable color in all
shades is represented, from
delicate tints to deep maroon.
Pkt. 3c, oz. 65c.

H 1744—ALL KINDS MIXED. No pains have been
spared to make this mixture

ED. No pains have been spared to make this mixture complete, all the very newest and best are included. Pkt. 3c, oz. 50c.

#### Humulus

H 1755—JAPONICUS (Climbing Hop.) Splendid annual climber of rapid and lux-uriant growth, height 12 feet. Pkt. 3c, oz. 15c.

#### Ice Plant

If 1761—This tender annual, white flowering, dwarf plant is covered with watery vesicles which resemble particles of sparkling ice. Pkt. 3c, cz. 10c.

#### Lantana

H 1791--FINE MIXED. Ornamental and free blooming, greenhouse shrub of perennial growth. Splendid for pot culture or bedding. Height. 2 feet, mixed colors. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c.

Linum (Flowering Flax)

H 1831—GRANDIFLORUM RUBRUM. Half hardy annual, blooming flax with beautiful crimson flowers. Plants 1 fcot high, blooms in late summer very freely. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c.

#### Lobelia

H 1841—BLUE. This charming little trailing plant is splendid for edging beds or hanging baskets; its pretty little blue flowers are decidedly pleasing. Is a tender annual, but seed may be sown in open ground where plants are to remain with fine results. Pkt. 3c, oz. 25c.

Love-in-a-Mist (Nigella)

H 1851—MIXED. A curious and ornamental plant, easily grown and a very hardy annual. Plants are one foot high. Flowers are blue and white and appear very early in summer. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c.

#### Marigold

Marigolds are an oldfashioned and well
known garden flower,
quickly and easily
grown. The garden is
illuminated by their
bright, sparkling yellows, reds and browns,
all summer and well
into the fall. Plants are
hardy annuals and free
blooming.

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H 1881—FRENCH
HALL, DOUBLE MIXED. An extra choice
mixture of all French
sorts. having an average height of two feet.
Pkt. 3c, oz. 15c.

H 1882—AFRICAN
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II 2021—MIXED. A green house perennial, climbing vine, which produces a profusion of beautiful tube-shaped flowers, the first season. It is very ornamental and is in constant bloom from July to October. Fkt. 3c, oz. 90c.

#### Mignonette

The Mignonette is a most popular fragrant plant which grows and blooms freely at all seasons of the year either indoors or out. If planted in succession at intervals of about three weeks from early spring until August, a fine supply for cutting is always at hand and the latest plants may be taken up and put in pots for winter blooming in the house. The flowers appear in spiked-shaped heads and while not very showy, have a most delightful fragrance.

H 2031—RESE-DA ODORATA The best form of the old sweet Mig-nonette. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c

H 2032 — GOLD-EN QUEEN. Rather handsome appearing, more yellow color-ing. Pkt. 3c, bz.

ing... Pitt. 3c, oz. 15c.

H 2033 — MACHET. A large spike of reddish colored sweet scented flowers; most popular for indoor culture. Pitt. 3c, oz. 20c.

H 2034—CHOICE MINED. We have taken great pains in making this mixture and have used the best of each sort of Mignonette. All kinds are included. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c.



Mignonette Reseda Odorata

#### Mimulus (Monkey Flower)

H 2041—TIGRINUS MIXED COLORS. Hardy annual, free blooming, with very handsome colored and spetted flowers. Height one and a half feet. Pkt. 3c, oz. 65c.

#### Moonflower (Ipomoea Mexicana)

H 2051—This magnificent white flowering, rapid climbing vine is very useful. Its foliage is large, has heart-shaped leaves, and on trellis or screens the vine easily attains the height of thirty feet. Its flowers are large, measuring over five inches in diameter. They open in the evening and are very fragrant. Hardy annual. Pkt. 3c, oz. 30c.

#### Morning Glory

#### (Ipomoea Convolvulus Major)

2061-CHOICEST

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MINED. A special mixture of very best colors
of this hardy annual
climber. Flowers are
large and very showy,
while vines are clean.
rapid and luxuriant.
Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c.

H 2062—JAPANESE
FRINGED MIXED.
These morning glories
are very superior to the
ordinary sort. The
flowers are enormous
and have all conceivaable shades and combinations of color. Some
of the flowers are so
fringed and ruffled as
to appear almost double. Some of the
leaves are curiously
shaped and fantatically mottled. Pkt. 3c, oz.
15c.

#### Dwarf Morning Glory

(Convolvulus Minor) (Convolvulus Minor) H 2063 — MIX H D COLORS. An early blooming, hardy annual, quite distinct in growth from the tall varieties; it only grows to a height of one foot and is of a trailing nature. It is well suited for window boxes, hanging baskets, etc. All best colors in mixture. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c.



Morning Glories

#### Musk Plant (Musk Scented Mimulus)

H 2071—Tender annual. The Musk Plant is a beautiful trailing plant, splendid for hanging basket or pots in the house, it blooms early and freely, emitting a delicious fragrance. Pkt. 3c, or 65c.

#### Nasturtium

The Nasturtium has been greatly improved in the last few years and many new and brilliant colors discovered. The plant is a hardy annual and makes a better showing than any other flower for the little time and expense necessary for their cultivation. The plants do best on thin light soils and bear blossoms in profusion even in the hottest weather. Our named varieties are all true to name and of the improved sorts, while our mixtures are the choicest and contain no cheap or common seeds.

#### Dwarf

II 2081—CHOICE MIXED. This is an extra choice mixture of all the dwarf sorts and contains a great variety of colors and markings. The flowers are large and abundant. No better mixture can be had for beds or borders, where a blaze of bright cofer is desirable. Pkt. 3c, cz. 5c, 4-lb. 15c, lb. 55c.



Ward's Mixture Nasturtium's

Ward's MINTURE. In this mixture of seed of all the best named varieties of climbing Nasturtiums will be found all the cholest colors, the rich velvety Lobb's, the Canary Vine with its odd shaped yellow flowers, the new hybrids of Madam Gunter and many new and distinct large flowering sorts. The flowers are much larger and more numerous than in the old fashioned sorts. The colors are brilliant and the combinations superb. These climbing Nasturtiums are admirably adapted to covering verandas, trellises, tree trunks and wickerles, and are extremely handsome and attractive when used for cut flowers for vases buttenholes, bouquets, etc. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ½-lb. 12c, lb. 45c.

H 2089—LOBB'S MINTURE. The Lobb Nasturtiums are noted for the richness and beauty of their colors. The type is distinct and as a climbing vine is unexcelled by any other variety. Pkt. 3c, cz. 5c, ½-lb. 15c, lb. 55c.

H 2090—JUPITER. Tall climbing vine giant flowers base beautiful.

H 2090—JUPITER. Tall climbing vine, giant flowers have beautiful clear golden color. Pkt. 3c, oz. 7c, ¼-lb. 20c, lb. 75c.

H 2092—KING THEODORE. Rich velvety color, almost black Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 15c, lb. 55c.

H 2102—COCCINEUM, Large flower brilliant scarlet color. Pkt 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 15c, lb. 55c.
H 2103—SCHEURMANI COCCINEUM. Large scarlet striped. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 15c, lb. 55c.

, oz. 5c, ¼-ib. 15c, ib. 55c.

H 2104—ASA GRAY. The lightest color in Nasturtiums, pale yel
, almost white. Pkt. 3c, oz. 7c, ¼-ib. 20c, ib. 75c.

H 2105—KING OF BLACKS. Deepest black, extremely large velvet

e flowers. Pkt. 3c, oz. 7c, ¼-ib. 20c, ib. 75c.

H 2106—MARGUERITE. Very dark foliage with purple stems,

owers rich deep yellow striped, blotched and marbied with bright

des of brown, orange and carmine. Pkt. 3c, oz. 7c, ¼-ib. 20c, ib.

H 2107-VON MOLTKE. Bluish rose, very handsome. Pkt. 3c. oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 15c, lb. 55c.

II 2108-SPITFIRE. A very effective bright scarlet. Pkt. 3c, 7c, 4-lb. 20c, lb. 75c,

oz. 7c, ¼-lb. 20c, lb. 75c.

H 2096—MADAM GUNTER HYBRIDS. For richness and variety of colors these Hybrids have no equals among Nasturtiums. The foliage is mostly dark and contrasts very effectively with rich colors. They are continuously bloomers. It is impossible to describe all the different colors, but some of the most striking are as follows: White, shaded carmine on the edges; with deep maroon throat; golden-yellow, shaded brown on edges; yellow, shaded and mottled with carmine; white with red blotches; shrimp pink, with deep maroon throat; shrimp pink, self-color cose, bright rose, bright yellow, orange, etc. Pkt. 3c, oz. 15c, ¼-lb. 45c.

#### **Nasturtium Collection**

H 7010-9 Packets 15c
Regular price 45c. If by mail, add two of the best climbing 15c cents for postage. Assortment as follows, named varieties.

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KING THEODONE. Rich deep brown.

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COCCINEUM. Pright scarlet. SCHEURMANI COCCINEUM, Scarlet striped.
ASA GRAY. Pale sulphur yellow.

KING OF BLACKS. Rich heavy brown. MARGUTESTE, Yellow blotched striped and marbled with all shades of

VON MOLTKE. Blush Rose SPITFIRE. Brilliant glowing scarlet

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#### Pansy

We have made Pansy seed a specialty, and this year we have procured a splendid stock of the very finest strains from the best European growers, and will sell them to you at a low price. Pansies grow best in moderately cool, moist situations, but require good draining and good, rich fertilizer, either well rotted manure or ground bone. Seeds sown in spring will produce fine blooms for fall, but even better results are obtained by planting in July or August to bloom the following spring. Plants should be protected during

H 213 6, ¼-oz. 15c, cz. 55c.
H 2138 — KING OF BLACKS. Pkt. 6c, ¼-oz. 15c, cz. 55c.
H 2143 — PEACOCK. Royal purple. Pkt. 6c, ¼-oz. 15c, oz. 55c.
H 2144 — FIRE KING. Red with yellow margin. Pkt. 6c, ¼-oz. 15c, oz. 55c.
H 2146 — S N O W QUEEN. Large pure white. Pkt. 6c, ¼-oz. 15c, oz. 55c.
H 2148 — WHITE WITH BLACK CENTRE. Pkt. 6c, ½-oz. 15c, oz. 55c.
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vellow Pkt. 6c, 4/-oz. 15c,
oz. 55c.
H 2150 — P R I N C E
BISMARCK. Bronze and
brown. Pkt. 6c, 4/-oz. 15c,
oz. 55c.
H 2151—T R I M A R
DEAU GIANT MIXED.
The flowers of this note
strain are very large, handsome and splendidly marked.
This is in fact one of the
most satisfactory sorts for
outdoor culture, especially
if the beds are large and
showy effects are desired.
Pkt. 6c, 4/-oz. 45c, oz.
\$1.30.



Trimardeau Giant Mixed Pansy

#### Petunia

Petunias are al-ways popular, because while they are easily raised they are among the most graceful and handsome flowers in the garden and bloom from early summer right up to hard frosts. The flowers bloom freely and continuously. We have taken great care in obtaining our Petunia seeds and know that the seed was taken from flowers which were perfect and true to name.



H 2211—SINGLE MIXED. Our mixture of single Petunias is splendid, being far superior to the old fashioned order of things. All colors are included and many of the high priced fringed and ruffled flowers are represented. Pkt. 3c, oz. 25c.

H 2214—FRINGED MIXED. A splendid and expensive mixture of all the large flowering sorts. Pkt. 45c, ½-oz. \$5.00.

H 2215—DOUBLE MIXED. This mixture will produce as truly double flowers as any seed is possible to grow. The flowers are exceedingly rich, large and imposing, and splendidly suited for pot culture in the house. Packet of 100 SEEDS, 60c.

#### Phlox Drummondi

The Phloxes are certainly among the showiest and most easily managed of all the hardy annuals. From June until October they maintain an endless display of brilliant and varied colored flowers. A fine effect is obtained by planting the beds with mixed seed colors which harmonize splendidly The plants will be more bushy and cover the bed better if pinched back while small. For early plants, seed should be sown in boxes in the house, or sown in the open ground as soon as the weather will permit. Sow seed in the border or in the vegetable garden if wanted for cutting Sow like lettuce and the plants will bloom until late in the fall. When two or three inches high they should be transplanted five or six inches apart, where they are to grow. Use rich soil.



M. W. & Co.'s Fancy Mixed Phlox

H 2231-ALBA. Pure White. Pkt. 6c, oz. 60c.

H 2234-COCCINEA. Brilliant Scarlet. Pkt. 6c, oz. 60c.

H 2233—STAR OF QUEDLINBURG. This is a most distinct and striking variety of Phlox. The flowers are distinctly star shaped, the outline being strengthened by white edging. All bright colors in mixture. Pkt. 6c; oz. 60c.

H 2236—FANCY MIXED. This mixture of seed contains all of the best varieties and colors known, some of which are only to be found in this mixture. The colors are brilliant and pleasing, over thirty different shades may be obtained from one small packet of seed. A bed of these beautiful mixed Phlox Drummondi makes a grand display all summer. Pkt. 6c, oz. 55c.

#### Poppy

Poppies are strikingly dazzling in color and exceedingly graceful in growth. No grounds are complete without a large group or bank of them. They bloom very early in the summer and continue up to the time of frost. The seed should be planted in the ground where the plants are to

remain, taking care to cover the seed very lightly with the earth.

As early as the ground can be worked is the best for planting Poppies as they seem to grow better be-fore the hot days set in. After the plants are up they should be thinned to eight inches apart.

H 2271—MAID OF THE MIST. Large pure white flowers, very delicate single variety with fine fringed edges. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c.

H 2273—DOUBLE SCARLET. Very large brilliant scarlet flowers, very double and remarkably handsome. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c.

H 2276—CHOICE MIXED. Only the choicest flowering sorts are included in this mixture. All colors and styles are represented. A large group of these poppies is very showy and attract pleased attention. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c.



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rooted, harden of
and plant out in
May, Pkt. 6c,
½4-oz, 35c, oz.
\$1.25.

#### Portulaca (Rose Moss)

Among plants of very dwarf growth this charming little annual holds a prominent place. It is unrivalled for the brilliancy of its fine flowers that appear thickly amongst its creeping mosslike foliage. The plant is very hardy and blooms steadily whether the summer is dry and hot or wet, cold and rainy. The seed should not be planted until the weather is quite warm.

H 2291—SINGLE MIXED. Free blooming, large, clear colored showy flowers in all colors. Pkt. 3c, oz. 20c.

H 2292—DOUBLE MIXED. All truly double flowers. All colors in truly high grade mixture. Pkt. 6c, ¼-oz. 30c, oz. \$1.15.

#### Primrose (Primula)

H 2301—CHOICEST MIXED. The culture of these beautiful charming plants is easier than the majority of people think. Our mix contains all varieties in innumerable colors and shades and while the jority are single a few out of each packet will be found to be double. Be, 4-oz. \$1.95.

#### Ricinus (Castor Oil Plant)

H 2324—CHOICE MIXED. Grown as single specimens and on lawns and pleasure grounds, they form a striking feature.

Tail majestic plants with leaves of glossy green, brown or bronzed inetailic hue, and long spikes of prickly capsules of scarlet and green An elegant plant for a lawn, and of very quick growth in rich soil. Plant in hot-bed, and transplant when three leaves have formed, or plant where they are required. Tender annual 8 to 10 feet high.

Our mixture is of the seed of the best and handsomest specimens of the best branches of the RICINUS family. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c, lb. 70c.

#### Sweet Rocket (Hesperis)

Fragrant, early flowering plants, bearing clusters of single flower. Its grow about eighteen inches high and do well in almost any soil. H 2331—WHITE. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c.

H 2333—MIXED COLORS. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c.

#### Salpiglossis

H 2341—LARGE FLOWERING MIXED. Very showy bedding or border plants, with richly colored, erect, funnel-shaped flowers. The colors are beautifully marbled and penciled, purple, scarlet, crimson, yellow, blue and almost black. They are biennial in green-house, but annual in open ground. Start the seed in hot-bed (or do well if sown in the open ground), and transplant 1 foot apart, into a mixture of loam and sand, with well retted horse manure at the bottom. Bloom from August to October. Tender annual; 1½ to 2 feet high. Pkt. 3c, oz. 25c.



Salvia Splendens

#### Scabiosa (Mourning Bride)

II 2372—TALL MIXED. Handsome flowers in hemispherical heads, on long stems, of exceeding sweetness. The colors are deep and light purple, scarlet, pure white and a dark mulberry red; some of the dark shades are tipped with white. With proper protection the roots will bloom 2 or 3 years. They are very useful for bouquets, as their long stems work in easily, and their striking color as well as fragrance are desirable. Plant the seed in hot-bed, and transplant to one and one-half feet apart. Hardy annual 2 feet high. Pkt. 3c, oz. 15c.

#### Sensitive Plant (Mimosa Pudica)

II 2391—An interesting and curious plant, with globular heads of pink flowers, well-known for the extreme irritability of its leaves and foot stalks, which close and droop at the slightest touch, or in cloudy damp weather and during the night. The plant is most irritable in the greatest heat, and if the upper brunches be touched and drop, touching the lower ones, the whole plant will appear as if wilted and dying. Start in hot-bed, in pots, and transplant into a warm situation, 6 in. apart, or they can be sown in the open ground. Tender annual 2 feet high. Pkt 3tc, cz 20c.

#### Snapdragon (Antirrhinum)

To have snapdragons blocm in July it is necessary to plant seed during February or March in the house or hot bed and transplant into open ground as soon as warm weather allows. They will bloom continuous ly from July until frost. The Dwarf sorts are admirable for solid effects in beds while the tail form striking groups, centers or back-grounds Tail varieties average about 1½ feet, dwarf about 6 inches.

H 2411—LARGE FLOWERING WHITE. Pkt. 3c, oz. 20c. H 2415—LARGE FLOWERING MIXED COLORS. Pkt. 3c, oz. 15c.

H 2416-DWARF MIXED COLORS. Pkt. 3c, oz. 30c.

#### Stocks (German Ten Weeks)

H 2.121—CHOICE MIXED COLORS. Combining all good qualities of a perfect garden or house blooming flower, the stock family is always popular with all who care in the least for any flower. Their long, heavy spikes of flowers are handsome, the fragrance delightful and the blooms are constantly at hand ready for cutting. Pkt. 3c, oz. 50c.

H 2.422—GIANT MIXED COLORS. The stock has for many years been a general favorite, but of late years the Germans have grown them in such perfection that they are considered almost indispensable where a fine display is wanted. The seed embraces a list of fifteen separate colors and it is grown with such great care that a very large proportion of double flowers are produced from the seed. Seeds of the Stock may be sown in the open ground, or in the hot-bed or cold frame, but if transplanted, let this be done when the plants are quite small, just out of the seed-leaf. Pkt. 6c, ½-oz. 40.

#### Sweet Sultan (Centaurea Moschata)

H 2431—MIXED. This pretty border annual is a fragrant branch of the Centaurea family. It blooms quickly and profusely. Pkt. 3c. 0z. 10c.

#### Sunflower (Helianthus)

This stately and highly decorative flower is handsome on any grounds, amongst shrubbery or as a screen. The flowers are very handsome and showy. The seed should be planted in open ground and plants thinned to three or four feet between each. The ornamental varieties are given here. For the Mammoth Russian, see page 41.

H 2441—GLOBE FLOWERED. Splendid ball shaped flowers. Very double flowers. Height, 3 feet. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c.

H 2442—DOUBLE DWARF. Very handsome, large dahlia-like flowers. Height 3 feet. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c.

H 2443—EXTRA CHOICE MIXED. Exceedingly choice and varied mixture of all corts of ornamental sunflowers, double, single and starshaped. All very handsome. Pkt. 3c, oz. 15c.

#### Sweet William

A splendid old-fashioned hardy perennial easily grown from seed and blossoming abundantly the second year. The rich, handsome fragrant flowers grow in heads and are splendid either for cutting or permanent beds. Height 11/2 feet.

H 2453—WARD'S SPECIAL MIXTURE. Contains the most markable colors and markings. The heads of bloom are much la and of far superior appearance than the old fashioned sorts. Pkt. oz. 45c.

#### Verbena

The best flowering Verbenas are grown from seed, not from cuttings. Early blooming plants require to be started in the house or hotbed and later transplanted to the open ground, leaving about one and one-half feet space between each plant. The flowers are magnificent and form large showy heads of richest colors. If the beds have been well enriched before the plants are set, fine results will follow. The seed we offer under this head is exceptionally fine and our mammoth flowering mixture is certainly the best Verbena seed mixture for sale anywhere.

H 2485—CHOICE MIXED. This is a remarkably fine mixture of seed of all the best Verbenas. The color combinations are perfect and great variety of handsome flowers are borne in profusion. Pkt. 3c, oz. 45c.

H 2486 — MAMMOTH FLOWER-ING MIXED. By most careful selection for size and quality and by obtaining seed of all the mammoth new sorts as fast as they are introduced we have obtained a mixare introduced we have obtained a mixture of unequalled value in Verbenas. The sizes of the individual flowers are enormous when compared with more ordinary stock. This mixture contains seed of all the new highly advertised novelties. Pkt. 6c, oz. 75c.



M. W. & Co.'s Mammeth Flowering Verbena

#### Sweet Peas

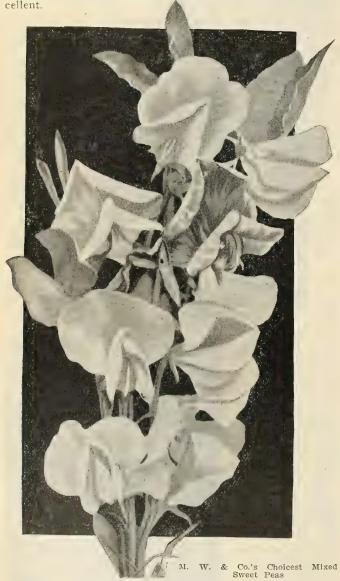
In the last few years a vast improvement has been made in Sweet Peas. Larger and more numerous flowers have resulted and owing to hybridization many new and rare colors have been found. The flower as it is today is far superior in many ways to the old-fashioned sorts.

Sweet Pea culture is comparatively simple and easy and a pleasure to both amateur and professional gardeners The results are highly satisfactory and can be made a source

of profit if desired.

A deep rich soil gives best results. Seed should be sown in double rows with about one foot space between. To insure the plant having a deep root a trench about six inches deep should be dug and the seed covered only about two inches. When well above the edges of the trench the earth may be filled in and you will have a fine deep-rooted sturdy plant. Take care that no water is allowed to stand in the trench or the seedlings will rot. When the plants are ready to climb, a wire screen about a yard wide may be used with good effect or roughly trimmed switches may be set into the ground.

If the seed is planted very early in the spring good results are obtained, but many people prefer to plant deeply in the fall for early blooms. As a fertilizer bone meal is ex-



H 2541—ECKFORD'S FINEST MIXED. This splendld combination of all the named varieties of Sweet Peas of Eckford origin is well known by every grower of Sweet Peas. It has stood as a standard of excellence, and with the exception of the special mixture above, we know of none better. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ½-lb. 9c, lb. 33c.

H 2542—WARD'S CHOICEST MIXTURE. Without doubt this is the finest mixture of Sweet Peas seed ever cifered by any one at any price. We have gone to infinite expense and trouble to secure a collection of the very best sweet peas, which represent the newest and finest colors and the largest and best shaped flowers. The old crdinary sorts are not used. This mixture includes all the named varieties given on the following page, and many more, all perfectly balanced as regards colors to that one shade does not predominate. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-1b. 12c, ib.

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#### Sweet Peas—Continued

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H 2501—AMERICA. Very distinctly striped with white and bright scarlet. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-b. 9c, lb. 33c.

H 2502—APPLE BLOSSOM. Standard bright rose, with wings shaded to pink. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-b. 8c, lb. 29c.

H 2504—BLACK KNIGHT. A very large handsome ficwer of deep velvety marcon color. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 8c, lb. 2.c.

H 2505—BLANCHE BURPEE. Very large sized, perfectly formed pure white flower unexcelled for form, size or purity of color. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 8c, lb. 2.c.

H 2506—BLANCHE FERRY. A well known extra early blooming variety admirably adapted for forcing under glass at all seasons of the year. Colors light and bluish pink, very handsome. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. Rc, lb. 27c.

H 2507—BLUSHING BEAUTY. An extra large delicately lilac tinted pink blossom. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ½-lb. 8c, lb. 29c.

H 2515—DOROTHY ECKFORD. New variety of pure white, very large ficwers of graceful habit and profusion of bloom. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ½-lb. 8c, lb. 29c.

H 2515—BOROTHY ECKFORD. New variety of pure white, very large ficwers of graceful habit and profusion of bloom. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ½-lb. 8c, lb. 29c.

H 2517—GRAY FRIAR. Delicate lavender and white. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ½-lb. 8c, lb. 29c.

H 2523—KING EDWARD VII. Brilliant scarlet, new variety, the brightest red yet introduced. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 16c, lb. 57c.

H 2523—LADY GRISEL HAMILTON. Finely shaped, large flowers. Wings are sky blue and standard is beautiful lavender. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ½-lb. 12c, lb. 42c.

H 2525—LADY GRISEL HAMILTON. Finely shaped, large flowers. Wings are sky blue and standard is beautiful lavender. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ½-lb. 12c, lb. 42c.

H 2528—MAID OF HONOR. White flower edged with light blue. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ½-lb. 12c, lb. 42c.

H 2528—MAID OF HONOR. White flower edged with light blue. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ½-lb. 1c, lb. 35c.

H 2538—SENSATION. Splendid clear bright scarlet. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ½-lb. 8c, lb. 29c.

Dwarf or Cupid Sweet Peas

#### Dwarf or Cupid Sweet Peas

H 2548—MIXED VARIETIES AND COLORS. The Cupid or Dwarf Sweet Peas are a distinct class very profuse in blooming and bearing large perfect flowers. Plants have dwarf bushy growth only 6 inches high, which makes them perfect for beds or borders. Very popular for growing indoors in pots or boxes. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼-lb. 11c, lb. 3Sc.

Lathyrus (Everlasting Pea)

H 2591—MIXED COLORS. The everlasting peas are hardy perennial plants which grow from 6 to 8 feet high, and while the flowers have no fragrance like Sweet Peas, they bloom freely through long hct seasons and last for years. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c.

#### Sweet Violet

H 2601—BLUE. The violets commonly grown by florists are propagated from cuttings. The flowers grown from seed are smaller and more delicately colored, but quite as fragrant as the named sorts. As a rule violets do well in any good, well enriched soil. The best results, however, are obtained from soil prepared from sod taken from a rather heavy, sandy loam that is well drained. Pkt. 6c, 1/4-0z. 25c, 0z. 95c.

Virginia Stock

H 2611—MIXED COLORS. The plants are covered with a dense mass of beautiful blossoms and are very useful for border or edging. A continual succession of blossoms may be kept up the whole season by sowing at intervals through spring and summer. Hardy annual; growing about nine inches high. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c.

#### Wall Flower (Cheiranthus Cheiri)

An old favorite garden flower. The large, massive spikes of the Wallflower very conspicuous in beds and borders, and are very useful in making bouquets. Sow the seed early in hot beds and while the plants are small, prick them out into pots and sink the pots in the earth. On approach of cold weather remove the pots to the house and the plants will bloom all winter. Although a woody perennial it is best to renew the plants from seed, for they begin to fall after having bloomed one or two years. Tender perennial one and one-half feet

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Single Wall Flower

H 2621—DOUBLE MIXED. Pkt. 6c, ¼ -oz. 45c, oz. \$1.70. H 2622—SINGLE MIXED. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c.

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#### Wild Cucumber

H 2631—This is the quickest growing climber on our list. Grows wild, self sown, in many parts of the West. It will grow thirty feet in one season. It is thickly dotted over with pretty, white, fragrant flowers, followed by an abundance of ornamental and prickly seed pods. For a trellis or pillar no annual vine is more chasts and it will quickly cover an old tree or an unsightly building. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c.

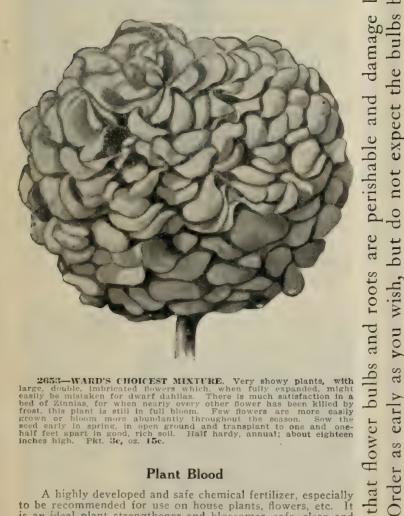
#### Wild Flower Garden

If 2633—Without regard as to price, quality, color or habits, we have made a great and comprehensive mixture of all flower seeds. The mixture contains everything for the flower lovers. This mixture is particularly intended for odd corners, reckeries, bits of backyard or any place where a profusion of any charming variety of flowers is desired. Mixture includes trailing vines as well as dwarf upright plants. Effects of the old fashioned flower beds are obtained by sowing this seed broadcast. Take no particular care of the place but let the flowers fight for their own existence. The result will be very surprising as well as pleasing to the gardener. Mixture contains many perennials which will enable the place chosen to be a permanent beauty spot. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ½-lb. 15c.

#### Xeranthemum (Everlasting Flower)

H 2641—MIXED COLORS. A free flowering everlasting flower of compact habit, and the easiest cultivation. The leaves are covered with a silvery down and the single or double flowers are pure white, deep purple or yellow. If gathered before fully cpened and dried in the shade, will retain their beauty for years. Hardy annual; one foot high. Pkt. 3c, oz. 20c.

#### Zinnia



2653—WARD'S CHOICEST MIXTURE. Very showy plants, with large, double, imbricated flowers which, when fully expanded, might easily be mistaken for dwarf dahilas. There is much satisfaction in a bed of Zinnias, for when nearly every other flower has been killed by frost, this plant is still in full bloom. Few flowers are more easily grown or bloom more abundantly throughout the season. Sow the seed early in spring, in open ground and transplant to one and one-half feet apart in good, rich soil. Half hardy, annual; about eighteen inches high. Pkt. 3c, oz. 15c.

#### Plant Blood

A highly developed and safe chemical fertilizer, especially to be recommended for use on house plants, flowers, etc. It is an ideal plant strengthener and blossomer, safe, clean and odorless. Plant Blood is made of nutritive materials, in a most perfectly blended available form, including fully four per cent of nitrogen, six per cent of available phosphoric acid, three per cent of water soluble phosphoric acid, six and onehalf per cent of total phosphoric acid, three per cent of reverted phosphoric acid, three per cent of potash soluble in water, and in addition carries more than twenty per cent humus, humates of lime, etc., combined in special vitalizing com-

H 5098-PLANT BLOOD. Pkg. of from 12 to 14 ozs.,15c.

## **Bulbs** and Roots

#### For Spring Planting

All bulbs are sent by mail, express or freight at buyers' expense. Not less than three of any one number supplied at dozen price, and not less than 25 at 100 price. Orders with money should be sent to s as early as possible and they will be filled in rotation. Bulbs subject to injury by frost will not be sent until such danger is over.

Included in this class are some of our most showy garden flowers and their culture is very easy. In the spring after danger from frost is over, plant in a rich, loamy soil having a sunny position and flowers the same season are an assured certainty.

#### Amaryllis

H \$102—JOHNSONII. The old favorite and almost too well known to need description. The immense trumpet-shaped flowers, which measure 6 to 8 in. across, are borne on strong, fleshy flower rikes and are of rich, deep velvety crimson, each petal having a broad white stripe, contrasting beautifully with the deep red color. Large Bulbs, each 37c, 3 for \$1.00. If by mail add 2c per bulb postage.

#### Cannas

There are over a hundred good named varieties of Cannas. We have studied them all and out of observations made, we submit the following list as the best representatives of the different classes. These varieties we supply in strong one and two eye roots which may be set out as soon as all danger of frost is over. The sub-tropical effect of the large ornamental leaves and the dazzling beauty of the brilliant flowers make a canna bed a delight to the householder and the admiration of all who pass.



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#### Red Flowering Green Foliage

H S1021—BEAUTE POITEVINE. 3 ½ ft. This is a very popular sort, having beautiful. deep crimson flowers of a pleasing shade. Per 100 \$4.50, per doz., 65c.

H 81022—PRESIDENT McKINLEY. 3 ft. The flowers are medium size, very profuse and of a deep fiery crimson. Per 100 \$3.50, per doz., 50c.

#### Red Flowering Bronze Foliage

H 81023—DAVID HARUM. 3 ½ ft. Dark bronze foliage. This plant is one of the most satisfactory to grow, grows quickly and blooms freely and luxuriantly. The flowers are large and well displayed, their color is bright scarlet, spotted with crimson. Per 100 \$4.50, per doz.

H S1024—EGANDALE, 4 ft. The beautiful clear wine red of these colors which grow in large, compact spikes, is very pleasing against the bronze foliage. Per 100 \$6.50, per doz., 85c.

#### Varied Colors and Shades

H \$1025—FLORENCE VAUGHAN. 4 ft. A beautiful green foliaged plant with flowers of clear golden yellow, dotted with bright scarlet. Per 100 \$3.50, per doz., 50c.

H \$1026—MADAM CROZY. 3 ½ ft. Large, free blooming flower, vermillion with gold border. Per 100, \$3.50, per doz., 50c.

H \$1027—BEAUTE DES MARCHES. 5 ft. The bright salmon pink flowers of this strong, robust, growing canna are very large and well shown. Per 100 \$8.00, per doz., \$5c.

H 81028—PENNSYLVANIA. 5 ft. The extra large orchid-like flowers are deep solid red. It is a very effective sort. Per 100 \$3.50, per doz., 50c.

### Flower Bulbs for Spring Planting

Ready for shipment as soon as weather permits in spring, about March 15th.

### Spring Bulb Collection

Eighty-three of the very choicest bulbs for \$1.58, Collection is as follows:

12 Choice Mixed Gladicius.

8 Choice Named Dahlias.

12 Choice Mixed Cannas.

1 Caladium (Elephants Eur)

H 8013- Spring Bulb Collection, 83 bulbs for \$1.55. Weight, 5 pounds if by mail add 40c for postage.

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#### Caladium



H \$103—ESCULENTUM. (ELEPHANT'S EAR.) One of the finest tropical plants which can be grown in the open air in the north. It can be made to produce three to ten leaves, three to four feet long and nearly as wide, on stalks four to six feet high. The soil best suited to Caladiums is a mixture of fibrous loam, leaf mold, peat and well rotted cow or sheep manure in equal parts, with a sprinkling of sand added. The tubers should be potted at first in as small pots as will conveniently accommodate them, and shifted into larger pots as they require it. But little water must be given to the roots till active growth commences, when, as the plants develop, they require an abundance. A warm, humid atmosphere is necessary for their best development. They must also be shaded from bright sunlight.

Bulbs from 7 to 9 inches in circumference. Each 9c, doz. 9Sc. Postage 6c extra per bulb.

#### Dahlia

The Dahlia has always been a favorite for autumn flowering. The flowers are so symmetrical and perfect, and the range of colors so large and varied, that they will always

be popular where display is wanted.

The roots are tender and easily injured by frost; they should be set out three feet apart, after all danger of frost is over, and during winter placed in a cool cellar, but not allowed to freeze. The plants should be supported by tying to stakes. Our collection of mixed dahlias is of the best, comprising all the positive colors, in their most striking shades.



Cactus Dahlias

#### Dahlia-Continued

Prices for the following twelve handsome Dahlias are 14c each, \$1.40 per dozen. Not less than three of any one sort sold at dozen rates.

If to be sent by mail allow 2c each for postage.

#### Mammoth Decorative Dahlias

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H S112—WM. AGNEW. Flowers are large, measuring over six inches in diameter. Color is the richest shade of dazzling red.

H S113—ZULU or BLACK DAHLIA, Very large, handsome, almost black flower, shaded to rich velvety purple in centre.

H S114—MISS THATCHER. The best yellow for every garden.

H 8115-OBAN. This attractive flower has an odd bluish and

#### Large Show Dahlias

H S121—A. D. LIVONI. Most perfect in form, a delicate pink soft and clear. Medium sized flower and prolific in bloom.

H S122—MAY EUSTICE. Deep scarlet flower with white petals inserted at random, very interesting and attractive.

H 8123-PRINCE BISMARCK. Fine double majenta ball.

#### New Choice Cactus Dahlia

H 8125—KREIMHILDE. An exquisite, delicate, shell pink shaded to cream in the centre. This is one of the very newest and best.

#### Pompon Dahlias

H 8126-BRICKTOP. Very double scarlet of most brilliant shade H 8127—GUIDING STAR. A great favorite, flowers, pure snow white and perfectly double, fine for bouquets.

#### New Single Dahlia

H S129—TWENTIETH CENTURY. The most magnificent single Dahlia gown. Color is white with purple shades. Will be the most popular of the single or Cosmos flowered Dahlias.

#### H 8106 — Collection

Cactus Dahlias for

Weight, 2 lbs. If by mail, add 16c for postage. Contains one each

owing:

ARACHNE. Splendid scarlet and white.

KREIMHILDE, New German Dahlia, white with pink centre.

JOHN H. ROACH, Clear lemon yellow.

MATCHLESS. Bright crimson, shaded rich velvety maroon.

MRS. WINTERS. Fine large snow white.

STANDARD BEARER. Brilliant scarlet.

## H 8107 — 6

Fancy and Variegated Dahlias for

Weight, 2 lbs. If by mail, add 16c for postage. Contains one cach of following:

DEWEY. Red and white.

DAWN OF DAY. Yellow shaded red.

FERN LEAVED BEAUTY. White flower striped with crimson.

BIRD OF PASSAGE. Bright red, petals yellow centered, ball shaped

flower.
TIGER PINK, Varied shades of red.
WM. FAWCETT. Yellow red tipped petals

#### Mammoth Gladiolus Bulbs

No flower has gained more rapidly in public favor than the Gladiolus; this could not well be otherwise, for in addition to the great intrinsic merit of the flower, it is easy of cultivation, and blooms the first season. They thrive in almost any good soil except a stiff clay, require full sunlight and are liable to injury only from rank manure. Plant Gladiolus bulbs six to nine inches apart, the large nes four and the small ones two inches deep. Make an early planting of the smallest bulbs first as soon as the ground is suffi-ciently dry and warm. Continue to plant at intervals of two weeks during the spring and early summer; in this way a succession of bloom may be had from mid-summer until frost. In autumn, before freezing, they should be dug up and the tops taken off at once, after which dry earth and old bulbs can be removed. Store in a cool, dry place, secure from frost, until spring.

#### H 8131 -Collection

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Best Named Gladioli

Weight of collection, 10 oz. If by mail, add 5c postage. Collection contains one each of the following:

MAY. Pure white, flaked rosy crimson.

MADAM MONERETT. Light resepink with blue anthers.

AUGUSTA. Lovely pure white with blue anthers.

SHAKESPEARE. White blazed with rosy carmine, large rose colored stain.

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NEZINSCOTT. Bright blood scarlet, with deep, velvety, crimson. black blotches, white mottled in the throat.

WM. FALCONER. Spike is of great length and flowers enormous. Color mottled light pink and blush.

MRS. BEECHER. Beautiful deep rosy crimson, large, well opened flower with white throat marked and spotted.

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H S132—M. W. & CO.'S CHOICE MIXED GLADIOLUS. This mixture must not be mistaken for an ordinary mixture, it is a combination of all the best distinct sorts only, well balanced as to color and markings. Per dozen 15c, per 100 bulbs. \$1.15. If by mail, add 6c per dozen for postage.

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H S133—CHILDSI TYPE MIXED GLADIOLUS.

This giant race of Gladiclus produces large flower spikes of great variety and beauty, much stronger and more vigorous growers than the older sorts and the foliage is durk, healthy green. They are tail and erect, often standing four feet high with spikes of bloom 20 inches long. Owing to their great substance and vigor they last in bloom a long time Per dozen 30c. Per 100 bulbs \$2.10.

If by mail, add 6c per dozen for postage.



H 81311—MAY. Admirable for general use, has large pure white flowers, splashed with bright rosy crimson. Per dozen, 250

H S1312—MADAM MONARET. Delicate rose pink with blue anthers. Per dozen, 25c.

H S1313 — AUGUSTA Lovely pure white, with purple blotch. Per dozen, 35c.

H S1314 — SHAKE-SPEARE. White with large rose colored stain. Per dozen, 90c.

H S1315—NEZINSCOTT. Bright scarlet with deep, velvety crimson black blotches, throat mottled with white. Per dozen,

H 81316—WM. FAL-CONER. The spike is of great length and the flowers are enormous, color is mot-tled light pink and blush. Per dozen, 60c.

H 81317—MRS. BEECH-ER. Beautiful deep rosy crimson, large, well-opened flower, with white throat marked and spotted. Per dozen, 60c.

Gladiolus Augusts

#### Madeira Vine

H 8135—The Madeira Vine is of rapid growth, with dense and beautiful foliage, twining to great height. It grows anywhere, but does better in a warm, sunny, sheltered iccation. It is also a very pretty plant for training around the windows in the house. Good roots per dozen 25c, per 100, \$2.00. If by mail, add 7c per dozen postage.

#### Giant Ismene

H 8137—The flowers are of very large size like an Amaryllis, novel form and of snowy whiteness, and are also exceedingly fragrant. As a pot plant it is grand, and as a garden bulb treated like a Gladiolus it is one of the choicest of all flowers. Strong flowering bulbs. Each 10c, dozen \$1.00. If by mail add 1c per bulb postage.

Japan Lily

If by mail add 2c per bulb postage.

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If 9043—AURATUM. (Gold banded Lily of Japan.) This hardy plant \*produces immense white lilies, spotted with crimson and each petal striped through the center with a clear golden band. Per dozen, 95c. Each, 9c.

H 9044 — ALBUM SPECIOSUM. The delightfully fragrant flower of this perfect lily is immense, pure white, and has grace-fully reflexed petals. Per dozen, \$1.16. Each 10c.

H 9045 — R U B - R U M SPECIOSUM. (Crimson banded.) The very large, fragrant, reflexed, white flowers of this variety are marked with a brilliant crimson band and deep marcon spots. Per dozen. \$1.50. Each 14c.



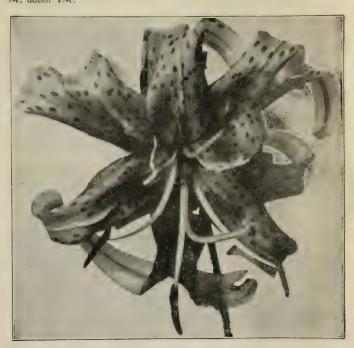
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H 8147—Sometimes called Flame Flower. This is a fine, handsome plant. The flowers are produced in large spikes of rich, orange-red tinted flower tubes. Plant two feet apart. Tritomas are hardy south of Cincinnati when well covered in winter. In the north it is generally safer to dig up the plants in November, place them in boxes with dry earth and store them in a cellar in winter. In spring, place them in a warm, sheltered, well-drained spot, preferably with a background of shrubbery to set off the plants.

Each 15c; dozen \$1.48.

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The flowers of this popular plant are waxy-white, double and exceedingly fragrant. They are used in buttonhole bouquets, in large bouquets, or as single specimens. A good way to grow Tuberoses is to fill five-inch pots half full of well rotted cow manure, and the remainder with good, rich, sandy soil. Plant the bulbs in this, in April, water moderately and hasten growth by putting in a warm light place. When weather has become warm take out of pots and set in earth, out of doors.

H 8151-DOUBLE DWARF. PEARL. If by mail, allow 6c per dozen postage. Price per dozen, 14c. Per 100, \$1.08.



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H 9141—HYSLOP. Hardy, good keeping variety. Deep crimson with yellow flesh. Good for cooking. Fine tree for street and roadside planting on account of its symmetrical growth.

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H 9155—BELLE LUCRATIVE. A fine large pear, skin yeller, slightly russeted, flesh white, exceedingly fine grained, very to buttery with a rich sub-acid flavor, core very small. Middle skin vellowish green, slight and buttery

H 9156—FLEMISH BEAUTY. A large beautiful, melting sweet pear see hardy, vigorous, productive, and succeeds well in most parts of

H 9157-HOWELL. One of the finest American Pears. Large, handsome, sweet, melting. Tree very vigorous, hardy and productive Middle September.

H0158—KIEFFER. Large; skin rich golden yellow, sprinkled thickly with small dots, and often tinted with red on one side; flesh slightly coarse; juicy, melting with a pronounced quince flavor. Tree very vigorous, and an early and great yielder. October and November.

H9159—L0118 BONNE OF JERSEY. Large, greenish yellow, with a bright red cheek. Juicy, buttery and melting, excellent, very productive. September to October.

H9160—SECIKEL. An excellent small pear of the highest flavor.

Tree a stout, slow, erect grower. October.

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H9162—SWAN'S ORANGE. A large, melting, sprightly, vinous pear. Tree vigorous, hardy, and extremely productive. October and November.

Select Winter Varieties

If 9165—BUERRE ANJOU. A large, handsome pear, but'er melting, with a sprightly vinous flavor. Keeps into mid-winter, a vigorous grower.

In 19166—EASTER BEURRE. A large, roundish, oval pear; yellow with a red check, melting and rich. Tree a moderate grower and good bearer. Keeps all winter.

H9167—HENRY I. Hardy, vigorous, large size, fine quality, long keeper, lasting into February with no more care than required for Ben Davis apple. Prolific, annual bearer. Color rich yellow.

H9168—WINTER NELLIS. One of the best early winter pears. Medium size, duli russet, melting and buttery with a rich sprightly flavor. Tree, a slender and straggling, but free grower. Bears heavy crops regularly.

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3 to 4	Feet.	 		30	2.75	22.00
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H 9175—EARLY RICH-MOND. An early red cherry; fruit medium sized, Juicy and acid. Fine for cooking and canning. Very pleasant for cating when fully ripe. The meet reliable and most profitable market variety.

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H 9182—BLACK TARTARIAN. This fine old variety produces immense crops of very large purplish black fruits of mild, sweet, jelly-like consistency. The tree makes a beautiful, erect growth.

If 9183—MAY DUKE. A well known and excellent variety; fruit large, dark red, rich and juicy. The tree is hardy and vigorous.

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H 9201—BRADSHAW. Large, eval, dark violet-red; juicy, sweet; table for market. Tree vigorous, erect and productive. Middle of

H 9202—LOMBARD. Medium to large, dark red, flesh color, of pleasant flavor. Tree is unusually vigorous, succeeding well even in light soils, and produces heavy annual crops. More largely planted than any other plum and most valuable as a market variety. Late August.

H 9203—MOORE'S ARCTIC. Hardy, healthy, vigorous, early and abundant bearer. Fruit medium, skin purplish black. Flesh yellow, a little coarse, sweet. Early September.

#### Select Japanese Plums

H 9205—ABUNDANCE. Large, oblong, showy, bright red fruit with a heavy bloom; flesh orange yellow, sweet, juicy. Tree a strong, handsome, thrifty grower, Begins to bear young, and annually produces large crops. Fipens in August.



Burbank Plum

H 9206—BURBANK. When properly thinned the fruit of this plum is very large, 5 to 6 inches in circumference, nearly round and bright cherry red, making, it very tempting in appearance. Its deep yellow flesh is sweet, meaty, and quite firm, keeping and shipping finely. Tree vigorous and spreading; needs close pruning. Late August.

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H 9207—RED JUNE. The great arly market plum. Medium to large; deep vermililon-red, with beautiful bloom, very showy; flesh light lemon-yellow, firm, slightly sub-acid, delightful, half-cling with small stone. One of the first to rinen.

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H 9211—DESOTO. One of the old reliable sorts. Fruit oval; size medium, color orange, heavily overlaid with crimson; dots many; skin thick; flesh yellow, quality superior, Mid-season. Tree a moderate grower, bears young and profusely.

H 9212—FOREST GARDEN. Medium size, color purplish red over orange; dots many, skin thick, flesh yellow, slightly reddened next to the stone. Quality good. Very early.

H 9213—HAWKEYE. Form roundish, conical, large, smooth; color yellow, red and purplish. Dots numerous, gray. Skin sour but not astringent. Flesh firm but melting. Flavor sweetish, pleasant, good quality.

#### Peaches



Elberta Peach

Price	Each	10	100
2 to 3 Feet	\$0.09	\$0.80	\$5.00
3 to 4 Feet	11	.95	7.00
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#### Peaches—Continued

H 9225—BEER'S SMOCK. A large yellow-fleshed peach, the most profitable market sorts. Late September and October.

H 9226—BOKARA. Large, yellow and red, freestone, good quality; keeping qualities unexcelled. Introduced from the cold regions of Bokara, Asia, by American Missionaries. Tree has given excellent satisfaction for fruitfulness and hardiness.

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H 9228—CRAWFORD'S EARLY. Very large, yellow with red cheek. Flesh yellow, melting, rich, excellent. Tree hardy, vigorous, fruitful. Freestone. First of August.

H 9229—CRAWFORD'S LATE. Fruit of the largest size, skin yellow or greenish yellow, with dull red cheek. Flesh yellow, productive, one of the best. Freestone. Last of August and September.

H 9230—ELBERTA. Large, yellow with red cheek; flesh yellow, firm, juicy, of highest quality; exceedingly prolific, sure bearer and hardy. Is doing well in all peach sections north and south and is more freely planted than any other variety on account of its fine quality.

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H 9233—MATHEW'S BEAUTY. Skin golden yellow, streaked with red; flesh yellow, firm, of excellent quality. Equal to Elberta in market qualities. Ripens later.

H 9234—STUMP THE WORLD. Very large, roundish, skin whit with bright red cheek. Flesh white, juicy, and good freestone. En of August.

#### Apricots

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#### Grapes

H 9261—CAMPBELL'S EARLY, A new variety of recent introduction. The flavor is rich, sweet and delightful. The clusters ripen very early and hold their berries well, keeping in fine condition for a month or more. The vine is vigorous and bears abundantly. Should be widely planted. 

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H 9271—AGAWAM. One of the best of the red varieties; bunch ariable in size; sometimes large and handsome; flesh tender and juicy. The state of the red varieties.

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H 9281—MOORE'S DIAMOND. Bunch large, compact, shouldered;
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H 9291—WHITE and excellent quality.

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DUTCH. A well-known currant of medium size 

H 9292—WHITE TRANSFARENT. The largest and most productive white currant grown. Bush vigorous, somewhat spreading; clusters ong, berries large to very large, of very attractive color; mild flavor and role of the color of the co Price.

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 H 9629—PRUNUS, TRILOBA. This is planted for its large double plants flowers which are the first to blossom in May. It is similar to the flowering Almond, but makes larger bushes and flowers. The leaves are very thick and hairy. A good grower.
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H 9633—SPIREA, VAN HOUTTH. (BRIDAL WREATH.) "The Shrub for the Millions." If you have room for only one shrub, plant this one. The habit of the plant is weeping, yet upright, giving it a most graceful appearance, even when out of flowers, be it summer or winter. Its garlands of showy white blossoms in early June in dense clusters along the whole length of the branches are often bent to the ground under their weight. One of the finest ornamental shrubs that we have to offer. An excellent single lawn plant, or for grouping with other shrubs of its class or for massing with other varieties. Also a fine hedge plant.

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H 9711—DAISY, SHASTA. Similar to the Oxeyed daisy, but flower about three times the size and more white, yellow centers, smaller, and continues to bloom from July until Frost. One of the finest perenntal plants. Needs a little protection.	such
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H 9717—LEMON LILY. A pretty plant with long narrow leaves and flower-stalks 2 to 3 ft high. These are crowned by beautiful lemon-colored flowers, 3 to 4 inches in diameter and delightfully fragrant.

Price. \$0.15 \$1.20 Price. \$0.15 \$1.20

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H 10250—Privet California .08 .65 H 10251—Snowball .15 1.25	be be	Bleeding Heart	Moonflower
H 10252—Spirea Van Houtli (Bridal Wreath)12 1.00 H 10253—Spirea Anthony Waterer	to l	Bromis Inermis	Mushroom Spawn
H 10254—Spirea Callosa	e to price	Brussells Sprouts	Mustard
H 10256—Weigelia Rosea .12 1.00 H 10257—Weigelia Eva Rathke .12 1.00	here nd p	Buckwheat	Nitro Culture
Hardy Herbaceous Plants	and and	Caladium	Mushroom Spawn   12     Mush Plant   31     Musk Plant   31     Mustard   13     Natsurtium   5-31     Nitro Culture   25     Okra   16     Olive   43     Onion Sets   15-16     Oxalis   37     Peany   45-48     Pansy   2-32     Parsley   16     Peach   40-47-48     Peach   40-47-48     Peach   39-47-48     Peach   39-47
Strong Dormant Roots Each Ten H 10261—Achillea	m.	Calliopsis	Onion Sets
H 10261—Acnillea	item iber a	Canary Vine	Oxalis
H 10264—Clematis Blue (Davidiana) 24 2.00 H 10265—Clematis White (Recta) 25 2.15	n'i da	Canna 28-35	Pansy
H 10266—Columbine	any	Cardinal Flower	Parsnip
H 10268—Coreopsis	n n	Carrot	Peach
H 10270—Dalsy Shasta	ant	Cauliflower	Petunia32
H 10272—Gaillardia	wa	Centaurea	Peach
H 10274—Iris German (Germanica)	de	Chrysanthemum28	Pine
H 10276—Lemon Lily .18 1.45 H 10277—Peony, Red, White or Pink 30 2.50 H 10278—Peony, Festiva Maxima .80 6.50 H 10279—Peony, Grandiflora Carnea Plena .70 5.50	rou ord	Clematis	Poplar43
H 10275—Peony, Festiva Maxima	· ·	Coboea2	1   1   2   3   3   3   3   3   3   3   3   3
H 10282—Pelox, Rubra Trumphana	If	Coffee Tree	Privet
H 10284—Spirea Ulmaria Flore Pleno 18 1.40 H 10285—Yucca 25 2.00	en		
Climbing Vines	on. xp	Coreopsis	S Quince
Strong 1 and 2 Year Dormant Roots	sportion own exp	Corn, Field	Radish   18   26   28   28   29   26   26   26   26   27   27   27   27
H 10291-Ampelopsis Englemanni\$0.17 \$1.40	ord	Corn, Salad Corn, Sweet	Ricinus
H 10292—Ampelopsis Veitchii (Boston Ivy) .16 1.35 H 10293—Aristolochia (Dutchman's Pipe) .50 4.50 H 10294—Clemanis Jackmanni .32 2.65	ds	Cosmos	Rosemary
H 10295—Clematis Henryl	tran	Crab	Rutabaga
H 10297 Honovenckle Scarlet Trumpet 23 1.75	tran	Currant	Rute
H 10298—Honeysuckle Halleana 23 1.75 H 10299—Matrimony Vine 12 90 H 10300—Trumpet Vine 18 1.45	de t y	Cyclamen	Salpignosas
H 10301—Wistaria Purple or White24	ata	Daisy	Savory
Hardy Hybrid Perpetual Roses Each, 30c—10, \$2.50	include ess at y	Deutzia	Sensitive Plant
Strong Dormant 2 Year Old Plants	ge in xpre	Dianthus	Savory
Pink H 10311—Alfred Colomb H 10315—Mrs. John Laing	rge xpi	Dolichos	Speltz
H 10312—Anna de Diesbach H 10316—Magna Charta H 10317—Paul Neyron	0.	Egg Plant	Spirach
H 10314—Clio  H 10318—Prince Cammille de		Elder	Spruce
H 10319—Captain Hayward H 10322—Jules Margottin H 10323—Tom Wood		Fennel	Spinach
H 10320—Engene Furst H 10324—Ulrich Brunner White	positi	rurget-me-nut	Sweet Peas
H 10325-Margaret Dickson H 10326-Madam Plantier	op frei	Time O'alasia 00	Convect Cultum 00
Yellow H 10327—Persian Yellow		Freesia	Sweet Violet
Climbing Roses H 10328—Crimson Rambler H 10330—Dorothy Perkins (P	and and	Gladiolus	7 Thyme'
H 10329—White Rambler H 10331—Prairie Queen (deep	0,6 ග	Golden Glow	Tomato 1-19
Evergreen Trees  2 and 3 Year Old Seedlings and Grafted Stock	E. E.	Comphana 24	Trumpet Vine
Each Ten	100 + 0	Grape	Tuberose   37   37   37   37   37   37   37   3
H 10341—Arbor Vitae American	\$1.40	Grass, Bermuda	3 Vetch
H 10343—Arbor Vitae Pyramidalis (grafted) .12 .39 H 10344—Balsam Fir		Grass Seed Mixture	Wall Flower
H 10346—Pine, American White	1.70 S 1.70 L 20 1.10 . I 20 1	Cypsophile	Ol Winimalia
H 10348—Irish Juniper H 10349—Spruce Norway	.90 D	Heliotrope	Wild Flower Garden
H 10350—Spruce Colorado Blue 40	2.30	Hollyhock	Weigetia   2-2
H 10352—Spruce Black	Minute pr.	Horse Chestnut4	2   Xeranthemum
H 10353—Spruce Hemlock	2.45	norse Radish42-4	sizinnia

